SMITHITE

ONE WHOSE SUCCESS IS ACHIEVED BY THE RICH LEGACY FROM WHENCE THEY CAME

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Ambassador...
Go-Getter...Motivator...
Scholar...Well-Rounded...
Outgoing...Ambitious...
Athlete...Trendsetter...
Unique...Experienced...
Trailblazer...
Alumni.

History and Mission

Johnson C. Smith University

In 1867, Reverend S.C. Alexander and the Reverend W.L. Miller saw the need to establish an institution to educate freed persons in one section of the south and as a result, plans were devised to secure the insitution. The movement for the school was formally inaugurated on April 7, 1867, at a meeting where the two ministers were elected as teachers. The first eight acres of land were donated by a wealthy Charlottean, Colonel W.R. Myers. In 1924, the institution was recognized by North Carolina State Board of Education as a four-year college.

In 1932, the University's charter was amended which provided the admission of women to the senior division which made the University partially coeducational. In 1941, the University became fully coeducational. In 1944, Johnson C. Smith University joined the United Negro College Fund. Between 1955 and 1968 was a time of expansion of the physical plant and enrichment of curriculum. Seven new buildings were erected during this period. Since 1968 the structures that have been renovated are: Greenfield Hall, Newsome Humanities Building, Robert L. Albright Honors College and the Irwin Belk Complex.

The mission of Johnson C. Smith University is to provide an outstanding education for a diverse group of talented and highly motivated students from various ethnic, socioeconomic, and geographical backgrounds. Johnson C. Smith offers a liberal education in conjunction with concentrated study in specialized fields in preparation for advanced study and specific careers. To ensure the integrity and stability of its status and the perpetuation its legacy, Johnson C, Smith University has firm resolve to maintain the fiscal and human resources requisite to be a truly distinctive institution--a hallmark of excellence in its students, faculty, staff, administrators, academic and other programs, facilities, operations, and environment.

Alma Mater

Loyalty Song

I

We love thee Smith, with all our hearts!
To thee we'll eer be true
And in the light of truth and right
Hold high the Gold and Blue,

Refrain:

Proudly we hail thy name, our Alma Mater, Old S.U.
Johnson C. Smith, our own! Our hope, our guiding
Star, our light un failing!
Pride of our loyal hearts, we'll love and honor thee our
whole life through.
On, even on! Dear old J.C.S.U.!

II

Fair Smith, where'er on earth we roam,
Send forth thy constant ray,
And let it beam with steadfast gleam
To lead us o'er life's way.

History of Biddle

Biddle Memorial Hall was constructed in 1884. It was the first substantial building erected on the current campus (see appended photograph #1), and is the oldest surviving structure on the campus. Dominated by a massive but elegant clock tower, the structure contains 40,045 square feet of floor space. Its ornamentation and overall massing are typical of institutional architecture during the Victorian era. Originally it consisted of an auditorium with a balcony, the President's offices the Registrar's offices, the Business Office, the first library, classrooms, and restrooms. It currently serves as the general administration building of the University. Currently the building also contains portraits and pictures of the founders, presidents, benefactors, and of other individuals directly connected with the growth and development of the University.

Dr. Ronald L. Carter

13th President of Johnson C. Smith University

Smith Fact

The first president of the institution was Rev. Stephen Mattoon. For nearly two and a half decades the presidents and most of the faculty members were Caucasian. In 1891 the institution had its first black president, Rev. Daniel J. Sanders. Since that time all of its presidents and the majority of the faculty have been African--American.

"A great leader's courage to fulfill his vision comes from passion, not position."

Dr. Carter's Six Priorities:

ademic Excellence: Shift the weight between quantity and quality in the University's policies and procedures that currently lean toward quantity, which in effect has led to inconsistent levels of Smith's programs, faculty and students;

erational Performance: Develop a focused University strategy that is based on a comprehensive management information system and measurable outcomes;

Advising Research Mastery: Attract, hire, and maintain a differential faculty of teacher-advisers, teacher scholars, and applied researchers;

Diversity: Attract a critical mass of highly motivated, high achieving students across racial, ethnic, and national boundaries;

Distinctive *Student Experience*: Accelerate the University's scheduled maintenance plan, especially in the classrooms and dormitories;

mmunity Engagement: Lead sustained and actionable conversations with the city and coalitions of developers concerning the revitalization of the urban distinct that is Johnson C. Smith's front door.

SGA President

My Fellow Smithites,

I can't believe that four years have passed and I'm about to graduate from Johnson C. Smith University. Coming from being a freshman who wasn't sure I had a place at this university, to becoming the Student Government Association President my senior year has been a very surprising, but rewarding journey. Johnson C. Smith University has a proud legacy, and I am so thankful that I was able to become a part of it. I am even more grateful for the people that I've met during my tenure at this university. My mentors and professors, my friends, my Black Ink Monks, my family, and my mother... thank you. You are the reason why I am who I am today. Though it has sometimes been a bumpy ride, you taught me the difference between priority and irrelevance.

As I am about to enter the world as an alum of Johnson C. Smith University, I want to make a plea to incoming and current students. I encourage you to become involved; take your education seriously. Use what this campus has to offer you. Immerse yourself in learning, in and out of the classroom. Join organizations that cater to your hobbies, and if there's not one here already, then start one. You have a say in your own destiny; all you have to do is speak up. Take on the responsibility of becoming student leaders, and leave your own legacy for other students who come after you to follow. JCSU can truly be all that you want it to be; you just have to make the decision to create it. During your tenure here, take every single person that you meet, every class that you take, every complication that you come across, every disappoint and joy that you feel, and every moment you experience as an opportunity to grow and become all that you are capable of becoming. Let JCSU be the golden doors that will lead you to accomplishing your dreams; I have.

Johnson C. Smith University... it has been great. It has been real. It has been love, but for now, so long. Class of 2011... we did it! Congratulations!

All My Love,
Erica Nicole Hilton
SGA President
2010-2011

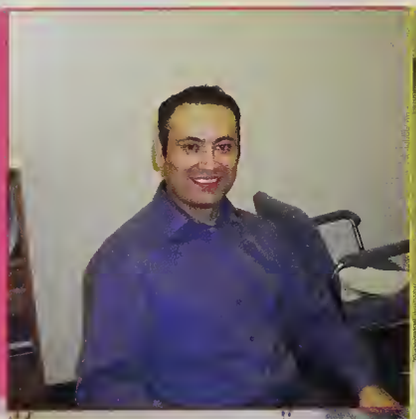
"The principal goal of educaiton is to create individuals who are capable of doing new things, not simply of repeating what other generations have done."
-Jean Piaget

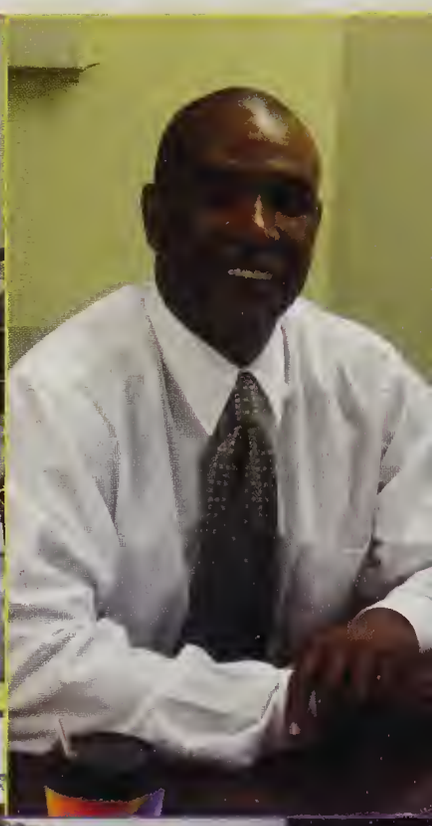
EDUCATORS

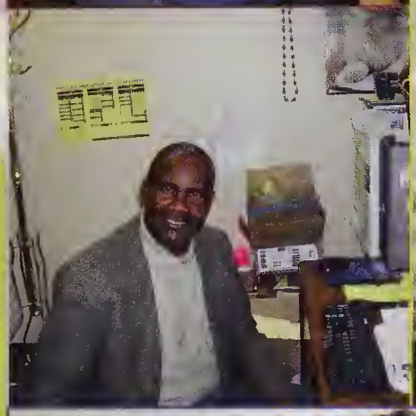
Faculty/Staff

On behalf of the yearbook staff we would like to show our appreciation to the Faculty and Staff of Johnson C.Smith University for your hard work and dedication. We recgnize that your job is not easy so we just want to say...

THANK YOU!







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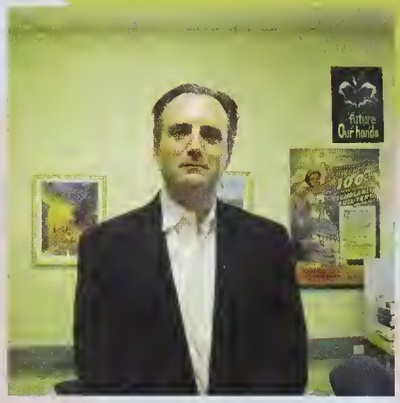
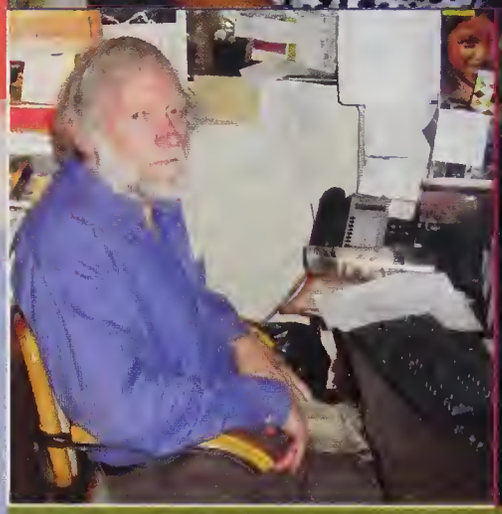
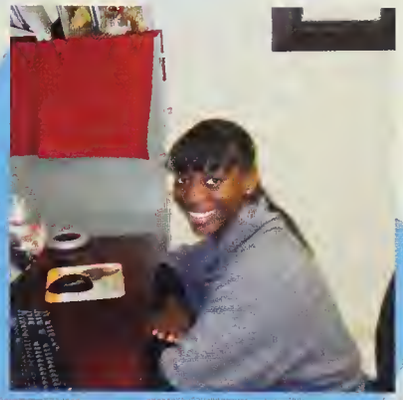




"A leader is one who knows the way, goes the way, and shows the way."
- John C. Maxwell



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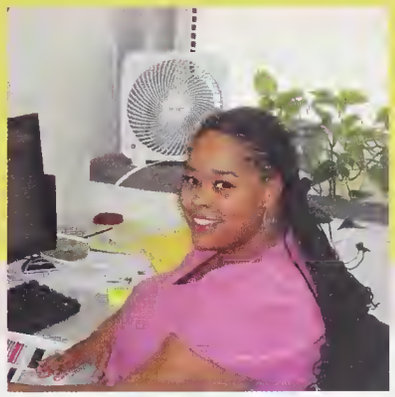
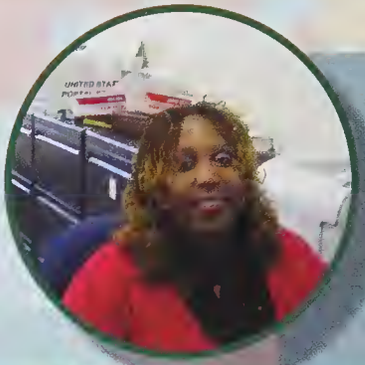
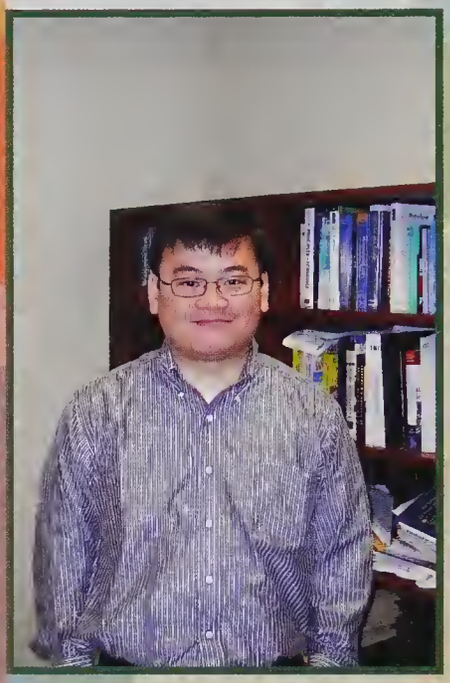
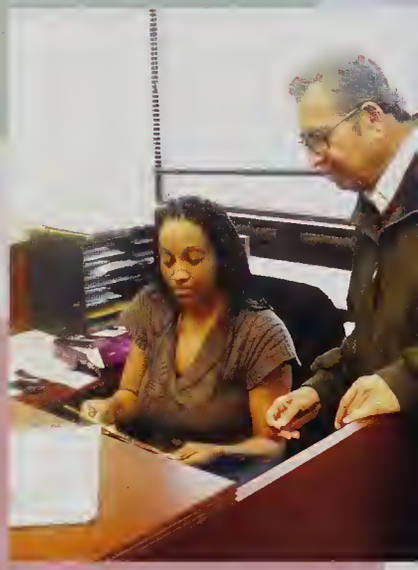


"If your actions inspire others to dream more, learn more, do more and become more, you are a leader."
-John Quincy Adams

Faculty & Staff







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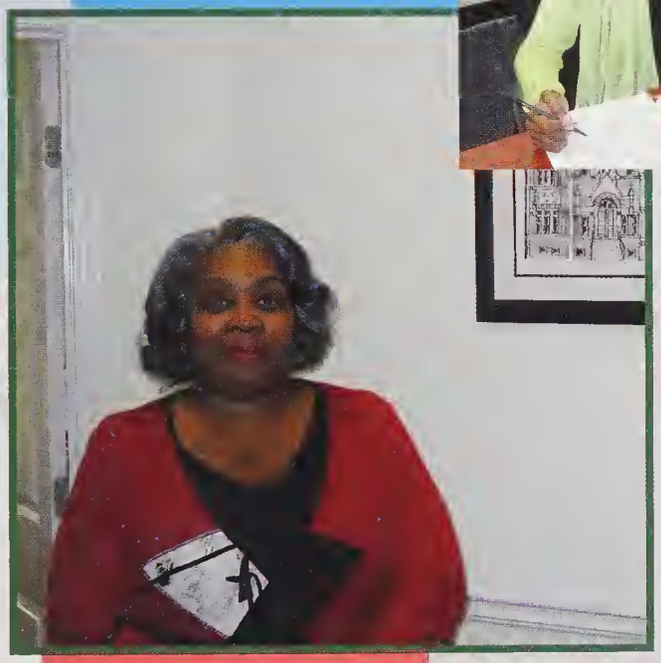


Residence Life

Cafe Life

Campus Life

Greek Life

"A man who has never gone to school may steal from a freight car; but if he has a university education, he may steal the whole railroad."- Theodore Roosevelt

CAMPUS LIFE

Residence Life

Fun Facts about the Residence Hall....

~ Johnson C. Smith Memorial Hall, built in 1922, accommodated 54 students. It was named for the late Johnson C. Smith of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

~Carter Hall, built in 1896, is a residence hall. The original building was a gift of Miss Laura Carter of Geneva, New York. In 1995, the building was completely modernized on the inside, leaving the outside walls to retain the original architecture.

~Liston Hall, constructed in 1962, is a residence hall. Of modern design, the building will accommodate 144 students. It has two lounges, a computer laboratory, and other facilities adequate for convenient living.

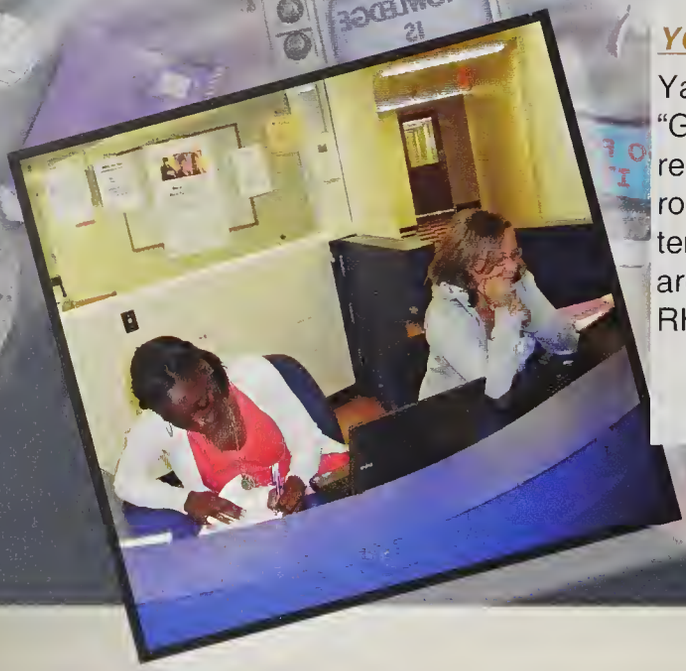
~Other residence Halls include Greenfield Hall (1985), Myers and Sanders Residence Halls (1967), and a new residence hall, yet unnamed (1993), which is affectionately by us as "New Res". Maybe it should be named after Mr. Mac :)

"A house is made of walls and beams; a home is built with love and dreams."

Changes that have been made to accommodate YOU...

Residence Life has introduced a newsletter to keep you informed of all progress as it takes place. Many residents complain that their concerns remain unheard year after year. Stay abreast of these updates by checking out this newsletter each month.

Kudos to Residence Life!



YOUR THOUGHTS...

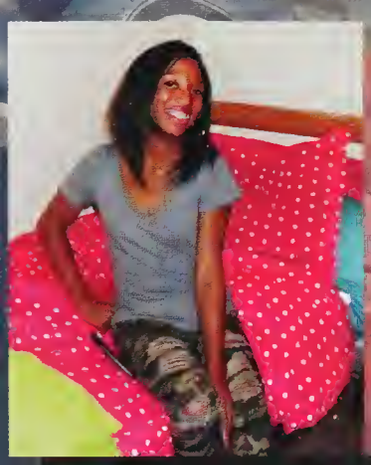
Yasmine (Freshman): "Good. I had a great relationship with my roommate. The temperatures in the dorm are weird but RA's and RHC are nice!"

YOUR THOUGHTS...

Shaun (Freshman): "The people are friendly. I am still getting used to the transition to a community dorm and I have a good relationship with my roommate."

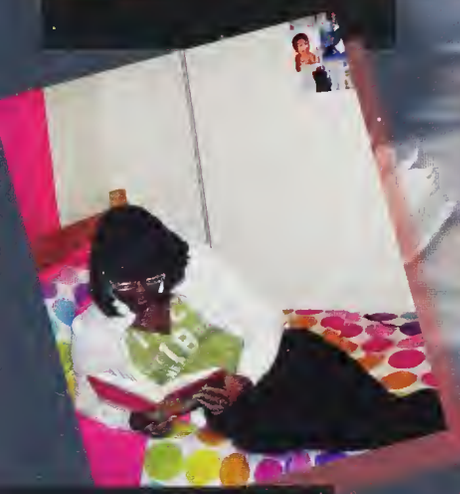
YOUR THOUGHTS...

Xavier (Freshman): "Liston is the spot! Its live and my roommate is cool. The RA's are cool too."



YOUR THOUGHTS...

Leticia (Freshman): "I love Myers! It's homey The RA's do their job and the RHC is like a mother figure."



YOUR THOUGHTS...

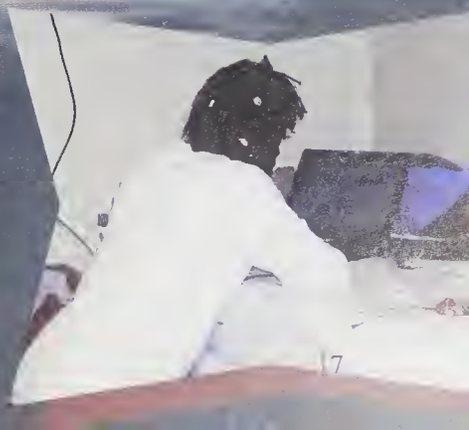
Shantell (Senior): "I like my single room. There is much more privacy. I decorated it to fit me and now it feels homey!"

YOUR THOUGHTS...

Danielle (Freshman): "Warm feeling. The RA's are charmful and helpful. I love not having a roommate. Overall the dorm and people are nice!"

YOUR THOUGHTS...

Kenny (Junior): "The beds are comfortable, My roommate is cool and the RA's are very cool."



YOUR THOUGHTS...

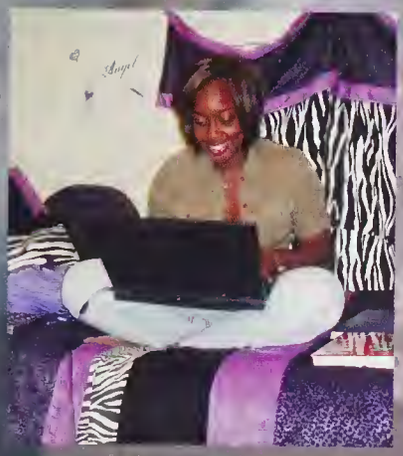
Mylasia (Freshman): I expected them to be a little bigger. I expected the bathrooms to look different. I didn't expect public restrooms.

YOUR THOUGHTS...

Brandi: I like my room because I don't have a roommate. I don't like the temperature problem. It's either too hot or too coldno in between. And I don't like the fact that I can't move my room around as much because of how the outlets are set up.

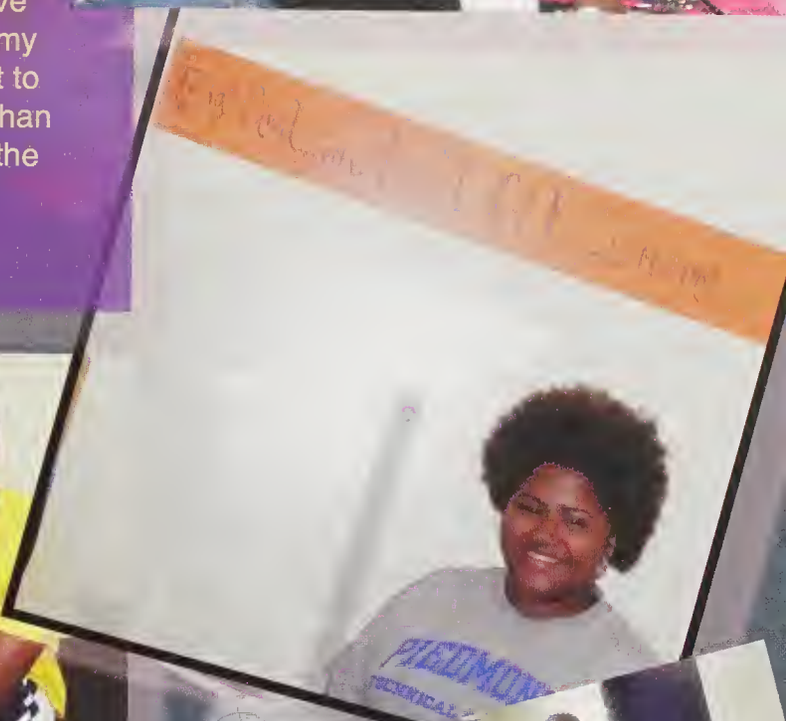
YOUR THOUGHTS...

Jessica (Senior): "I enjoy my big single room. As an RA my residents are good. The cleaning service is good and the kitchen area is nice."



YOUR THOUGHTS...

Dominique: Living in New Res I expect to be treated as an adult and have independence with my living space I expect to have more freedom than as if I were living in the other dorms



YOUR THOUGHTS...

Tionis (Freshman) : I thought the rooms would be more furnished and more up to date.

YOUR THOUGHTS...

Dave (Junior): "Glad that we finally got a water fountain! I love the FREE washing and as an RA I have the best residents."

What's Your Thought?

"I hope so yes, I really do. I feel as though we pay enough money to have better maintenance and better equipped rooms."
-Keneasha Johnson (Sophomore)

What's Your Thought

Cameron Ransom: "My dorm is quality. The people are cool and my room is homey."

Terrance Hampton: "I like my dorm. It's cozy home away from home. My roommate and RA are cool."

Jasmine Fox: "I don't expect the dormitory to change while I'm here. RA's are going to have more responsibilities and the dorms should be more updated by the time I come back for homecoming as an Alumni."

John Davis (Freshman): "My RA is cool. The rooms could be bigger."

Sherman Hawkins (Junior): Honestly, I think they're going to be the same next year. Maybe two or three years from now, but next year I do not see a change. I would like to see a change, but it depends on the whole student body to come together and talk about it and ask for a change.

[Cafe Life]

"Munchies"

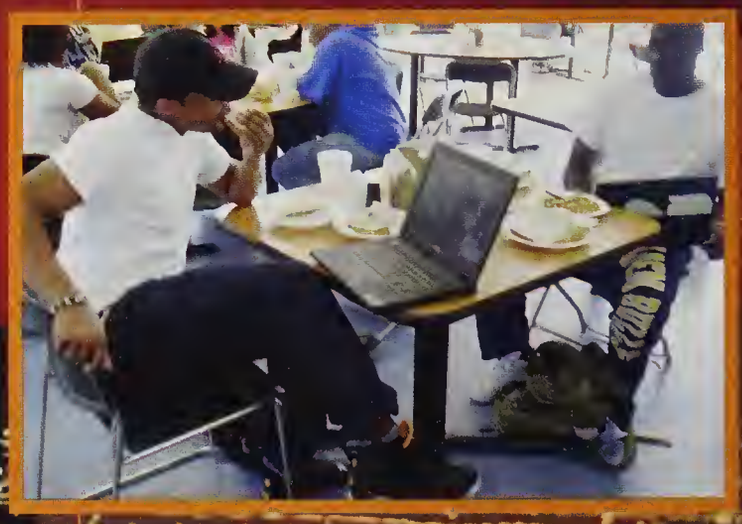
If you have been here for over two years you was able to appreciate the change in meals and the look in the cafe. Keep the good work up FDY!

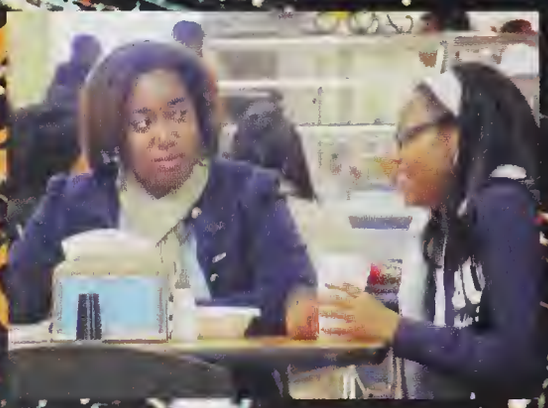
[Cafe Life]

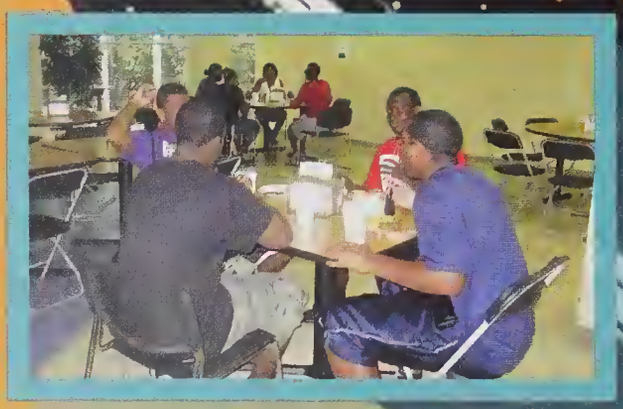
"Munchies"

You are not a SMITHITE if you never had Chicken Wednesday and Sunday or Fish Friday's... Let's just call it our speciality! =)

Cafe Life







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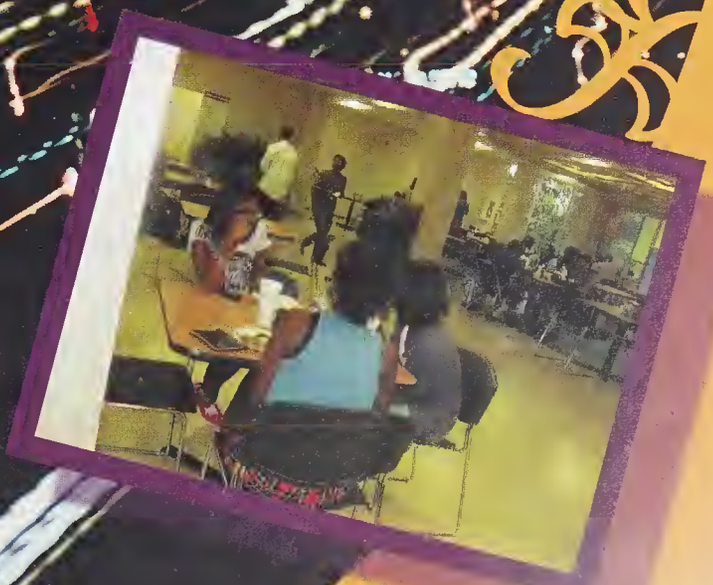


Adventerous

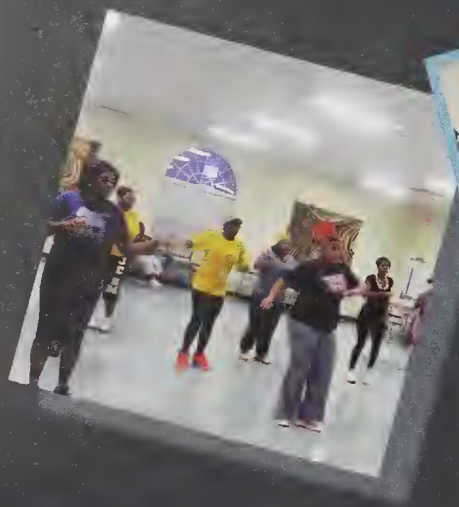
Campus Life is...

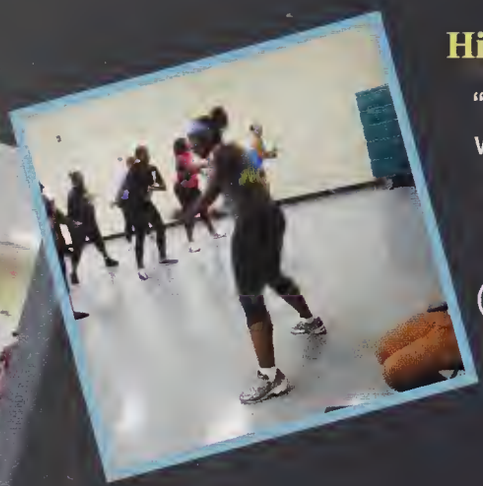
Our family is a circle of strength and love…
With every birth and every union the circle grows…

Campus Life

...What you make it

...Every joy shared adds more love
Every crisis faced together
makes the circle grow stronger.





Highlight Of The Year...

"The highlight of my year was picking up Fabolous from the airport for the Homecoming Concert."
Gernae Chase
(Senior Class President)

Highlight Of The Year...

"Joining the National Honor Society of Psychology & the step show."
- Brittnee Johnson
(Junior)

Highlight Of The Year...

"Homecoming; All of the events."
- April Moore (Senior)

Homecoming, being Mr. Liston. I like dancing & that part of coronation was fun. Jermaine Clark (Freshman)

Highlight Of The Year...

Anthony Miller
"Performing on stage for the BET Show Stage and Underground Showcase."

Highlight Of The Year...

Talisa Taylor (Junior)
"Homecoming was a great success. A lot of effort was put into it. One thing that stood out the most was the environment from the students. Everyone got along."

Highlight Of The Year...

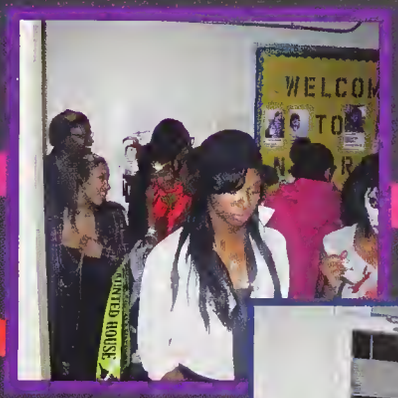
Shumeka Gillespie
"My mid-term grades were great! I passed a class that I had doubts about."

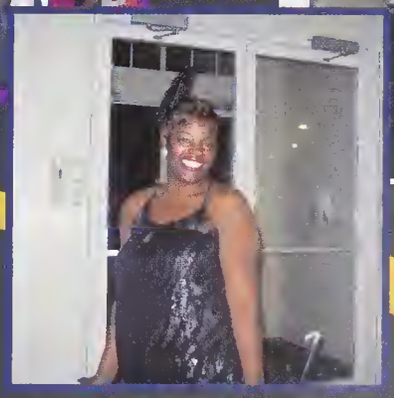
Highlight Of The Year...

James Williams
"My first step show! I never thought I would step."

Highlight of the year:
"Homecoming; Step show, concert, and the first part of the comedy show was funny."
-Brittany Yates (Senior)

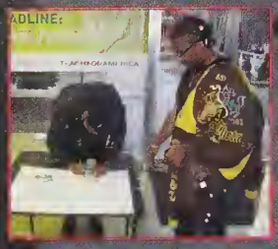
Highlight of the year:
"When Lloyd Banks came. It was on my birthday and he signed my poster happy birthday."
- Meagan Gregg
(Sophomore)





Highlight Of The Year...

Jonathan Savage:
"Having everybody see me every day!"



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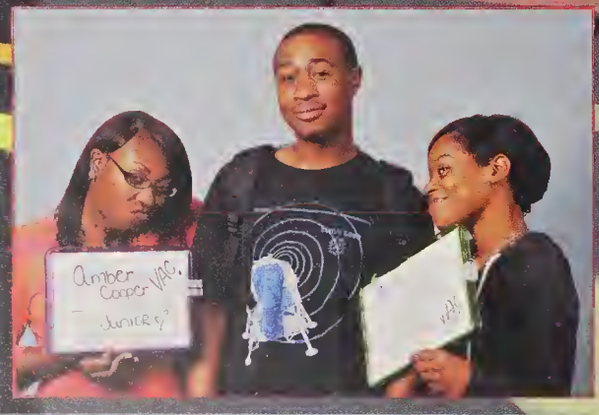
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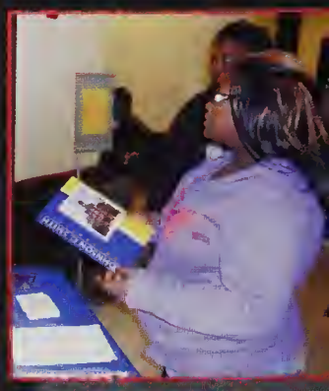
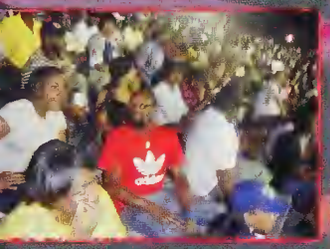
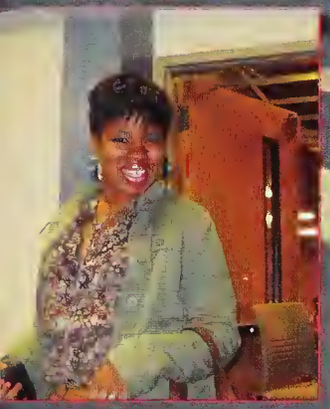






Date:
Tuesday, November 16, 2010

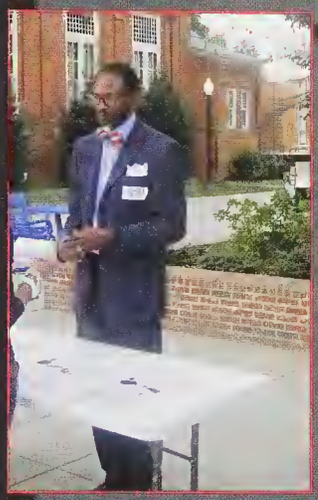
Time:
10:00am - 4:00pm

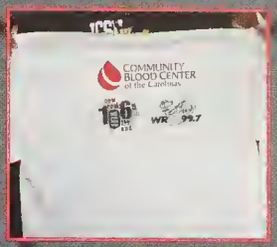
Location:
Family Dollar Room

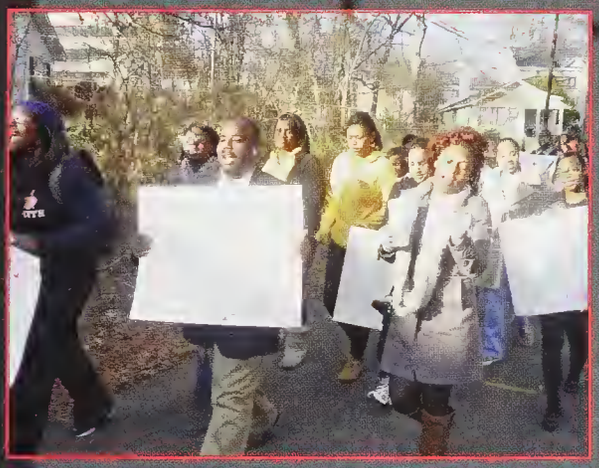
Appointments:
Contact William Valencia at
wvalencia89@yahoo.com
or sign up outside the Café with a member of *A Φ A*

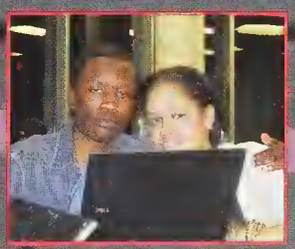
All presenting [illegible] will receive
5 Community [illegible] a FREE T-shirt!

Donors can also sign a gift tag between November 1st and December 31st, that will be attached to a stuffed puppy and delivered to children in our local hospitals

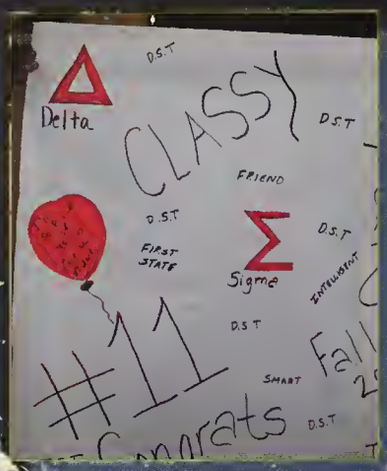






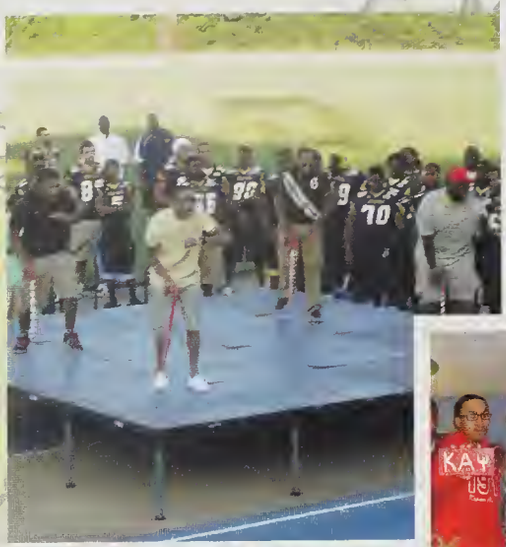


Family *Greek Life*



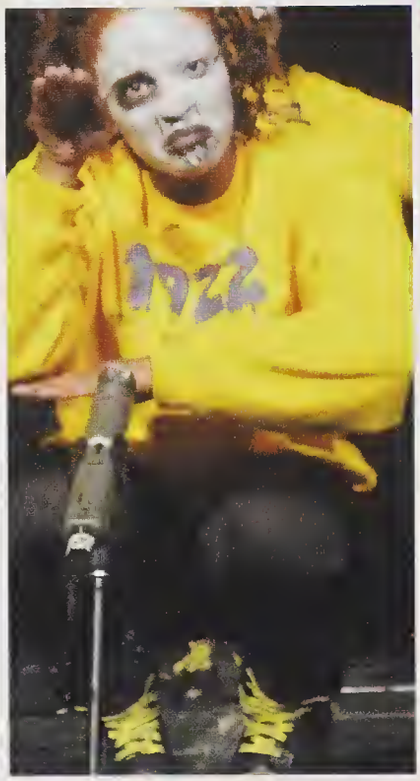
All of my love, my peace and happiness....

"It is not just letters, parties and good times. It is a feeling that will never leave you as long as you live. It is a responsibility and duty to yourself and your sisters and brothers. It is an eternal love." ~Unknown



Beta Sigma

1922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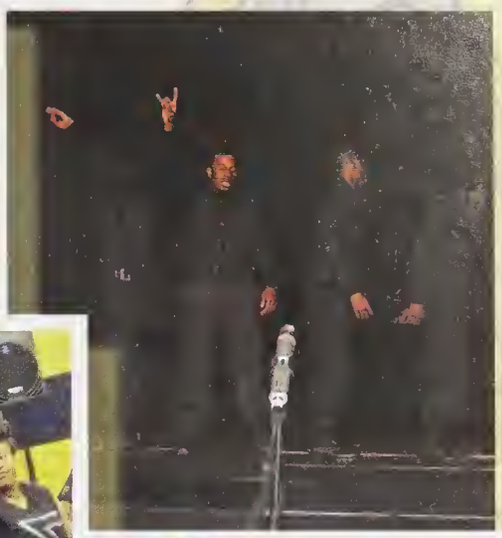


CSU

Madness!
NCAA

Alpha Kappa Alpha

1908

Colors: Salmon Pink
Apple Green
Symbol: Ivy Leaf
Flower: Pink Tea Rose

Founded on the campus of Howard University in Washington, DC in 1908, Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. is the oldest Greek-letter organization established by African American college-trained women. To trace its history is to tell a story of changing patterns of human relations in America in the 20th century.

Alpha Kappa Alpha

1908

Founders:

Anna Easter Brown
Beulah Burke
Lillie Burke
Marjorie Hill
Margaret Flagg Holmes
Ethel Hedgeman Lyle
Lavinia Norman
Lucy Slowe
Marie Woolfolk Taylor

Alpha Kappa Alpha serves the community through a membership of more than 200,000 women in over 950 chapters in the United States and several other countries. Membership is extended to female college undergraduate and graduate students. The sorority also bestows honorary membership as the highest honor.

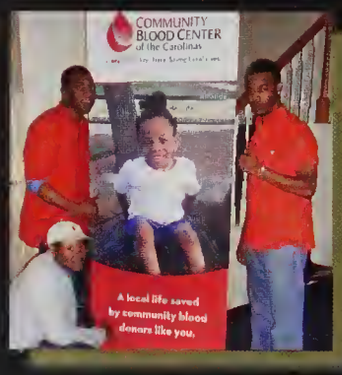
Alpha Phi Alpha

1906

The fraternity initially served as a study and support group for minority students who faced racial prejudice, both educationally and socially, at Cornell University.

Alpha Phi Alpha, the first intercollegiate Greek-letter fraternity established for African-Americans, was founded at Cornell University in Ithaca, New York by seven college men who recognized the need for a strong bond of Brotherhood among African descendants in this country.

The Jewel founders and early leaders of the Fraternity succeeded in laying a firm foundation for Alpha Phi Alpha's **principles of scholarship, fellowship, good character, and the uplifting of humanity.**



Alpha Phi Alpha

The visionary founders, known as the "Jewels" of the Fraternity, are ***Henry Arthur Callis, Charles Henry Chapman, Eugene Kinckle Jones, George Biddle Kelley, Nathaniel Allison Murray, Robert Harold Ogle, and Vertner Woodson Tandy.***

Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc. develops leaders, promotes brotherhood and academic excellence, while providing service and advocacy for our communities.

Kappa Alpha Psi

Yo YO!!!

Founded January 5, 1911 at Indiana University in Bloomington, Indiana.
Colors: Krimson & Kream

Founders:
Elder Watson Diggs
John Milton Lee
Byron K. Armstrong
Guy Levis Grant;
Ezra D. Alexander
Henry T. Asher
Marcus P. Blakemore
Paul W. Caine Edward G. Irvin
George W. Edmonds

Acceptable qualities of Kappa Alpha Psi members include:

The disposition to live in close companionship with men of similar values.

The wisdom to abide by the will of the majority without sacrificing individuality.

The discretion to refrain from destructive criticism while seeking to remove the causes of such criticism.

The acceptance of responsibility for any effort that moves the group forward.

The desire to strive for, and ultimately achieve, excellence in everything you do.

The commitment to train for leadership.

The resolution to give lifelong financial support and commitment to the maintenance and development of the Fraternity's programs and purposes.

Too Pretty To Die

1911

Omega Psi Phi

On Friday evening, November 17, 1911, three Howard University undergraduate students, with the assistance of their faculty adviser, gave birth to the Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc.

Founders:
Bishop Edgar A. Love (1891-1974)
Dr. Oscar J. Cooper (1888-1972)
Professor Frank Coleman (1890-1967)
Dr. Ernest E. Just (1883-1941)

1911

Omega Psi Phi

Notable Omega Men:
Langston Hughes
William H. "Bill" Cosby
Steve Harvey
Rickey Smiley
Tom Joyner
Michael Jordan

From the initials of the Greek phrase meaning "friendship is essential to the soul," the name Omega Psi Phi was derived. The phrase was selected as the motto. Manhood, scholarship, perseverance and uplift were adopted as cardinal principles.

Delta Sigma Theta

oooooooooooppppppppppppppppppppppp...

Delta Sigma Theta Sorority was founded January 13, 1913 by twenty-two collegiate women at Howard University. These students wanted to use their collective strength to promote academic excellence and to provide assistance to persons in need. The first public act performed by the Delta Founders involved their participation in the Women's Suffrage March in Washington D.C., March 1913. Delta Sigma Theta was incorporated in 1930.

The major programs of the sorority are based upon the organization's Five Point Programmatic Thrust:

-Economic Development
-Educational Development
-International Awareness and Involvement
-Physical and Mental Health
-Political Awareness and Involvement

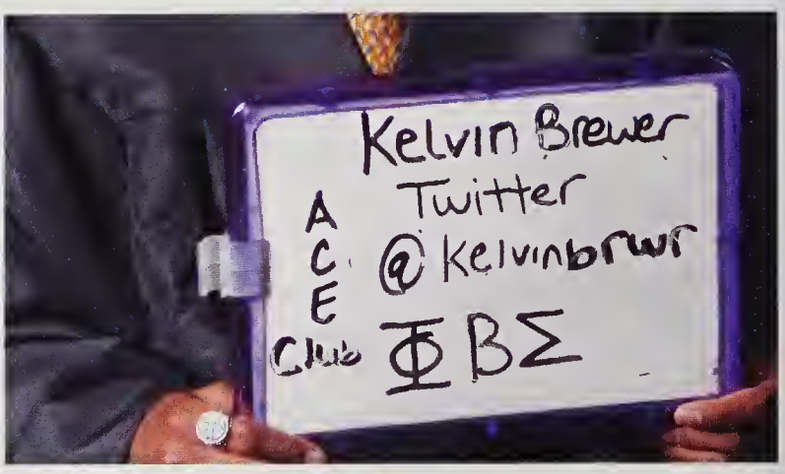
The Gamma Lambda Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority Inc., was the first Sorority chartered on Johnson C. Smith's campus in November 23, 1943. The Gamma Lambda Chapter is a part of the South Atlantic Region.

Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. is a private, non-profit organization whose purpose is to provide assistance and support through established programs in local communities throughout the world. A sisterhood of more than 200,000 predominately Black college educated women, the Sorority currently has over 900 chapters located in the United States, England, Japan (Tokyo and Okinawa), Germany, the Virgin Islands, Bermuda, the Bahamas and the Republic of Korea.

Phi Beta Sigma

G.O.M.A.B!!!!!!!!

Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity was founded at Howard University in Washington, D.C., January 9,1914.



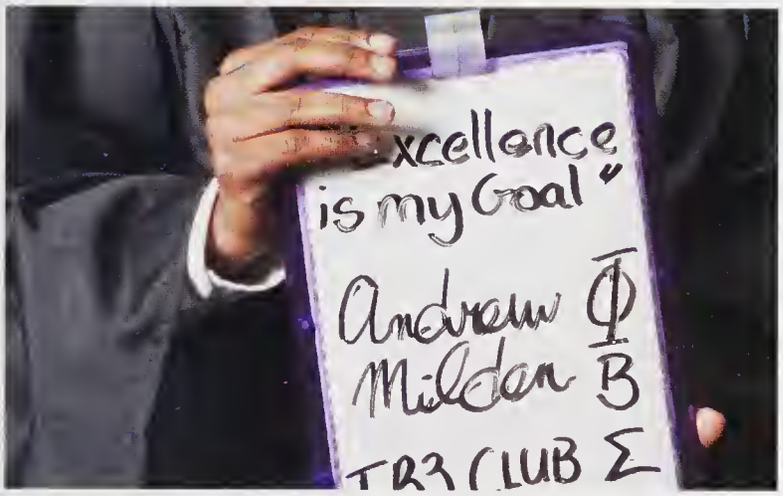
First and ONLY Black Greek-Letter Fraternity to have one of its members on the face of a U.S. Coin (Dr. George Washington Carver: The 1951 Half Dollar)

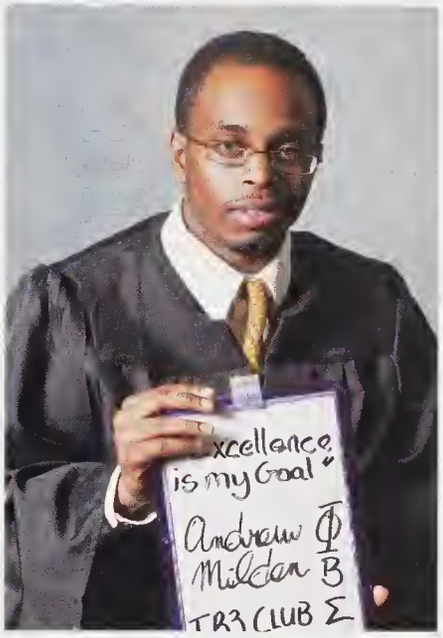
Phi Beta Sigma creates an environment that respects the dignity and worth of each brother...

1914 >>

Phi Beta Sigma

BLUE PHI... YOU KNOW...





Notable Sigmas:

Blair Underwood
J. Anthony Brown
Kurt Carr
Emmit Smith
Willis Reed
Jerry Rice
Tony Barton
Willie Williams

Founders, **Honorable A. Langston, Honorable Leonard F.Morse, and Honorable Charles I. Brown.**They wanted to organize a Greek letter fraternity that would truly exemplify the ideals of brotherhood, scholarship, and service.

>> 1920

Zeta Phi Beta

Lovely Ladies are just SSSSSSOOOOO...

Arizona Cleaver ***Fannie Pettie*** ***Myrtle Tyler***

The Five Pearls (Founders)

Thes Five Pearls, dared to depart from the traditional coalitions for black women and sought to establish a new orgaanization predicated on the precepts of ***Scholarship***, ***Service***, ***Sisterly Love***, and ***Finer Womanhood***.

1920 >>

Zeta Phi Beta

...SWEEEEEETTT!!!!!!!!!

Pearl Neal *Viola Tyler*

The Five Pearls (Founders)

Zeta Phi Beta Sorority was founded on the simple belief that sorority elitism and socializing should not overshadow the real mission for progressive organizations - to address societal mores, ills, prejudices, poverty, and health concerns of the day. Founded January 16, 1920, Zeta began as an idea conceived by five coeds at Howard University in Washington, D.C.

Since its inception, the Sorority had chronicled a number of firsts. Zeta Phi Beta was the first Greek- Letter organization to charter a chapter in Africa (1948); to form adult and youth auxiliary groups; to centralize its operations in a national headquarters; and to be constitutionally bound to a fraternity, Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc Incorporated.

Sigma Gamma Rho

They believed that the self-respect, knowledge and discipline gained through study would help individuals to recognize their duty and responsibility for their society. Thus, Sigma Gamma Rho was founded on the precept of education and continues to promote and encourage high scholastic attainment.

With over 500 chapters & 85,000+ members in the United States, Bermuda, the Virgin Islands, Bahamas, Germany and Korea, Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Inc. is committed to improve the quality of life for its members and the society it serves.

We seek women of class, character, and dedication to the community. We seek women who are already secure enough in their selfhood not to be daunted by what others may say, think, or feel. We seek women of vision, women of the future

Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Inc., was organized on November 12, 1922 in Indianapolis, Indiana by seven young educators: Mary Lou Allison Little, Dorothy Hanley Whiteside, Vivian White Marbury, Nannie Mae Gahn Johnson, Hattie Mae Dulin Redford, Bessie M. Downey Martin and Cubena McClure. The group became an incorporated national collegiate sorority on December 30, 1929, when a charter was granted to Alpha chapter at Butler University.

RHOYAL BLUE AND ANTIQUE GOLD

Notable SoRHOrs:

Marilyn McCoo
Jetta Jones
Victoria Rowell
MC Lyte
Kelly Price
Ella English
Cathy Hughes

EEEeeeeeee-YYYIIIIPPPPPPPP

1963
Iota Phi Theta

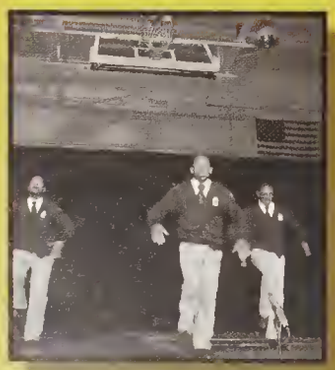
"The development and perpetuation of Scholarship, Leadership, Citizenship, Fidelity, and Brotherhood among Men."

The Honorable founders of Iota Phi Theta® were:

Albert Hicks
Lonnie Spruill
Charles Briscoe
Frank Coakley
John Slade
Barron Willis
Webster Lewis
Charles Brown
Louis Hudnell
Charles Gregory
Elias Dorsey Jr.
Michael Williams

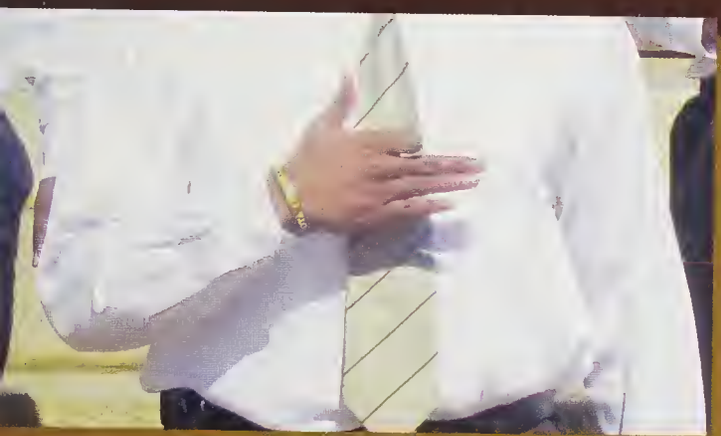
"Building a Tradition...

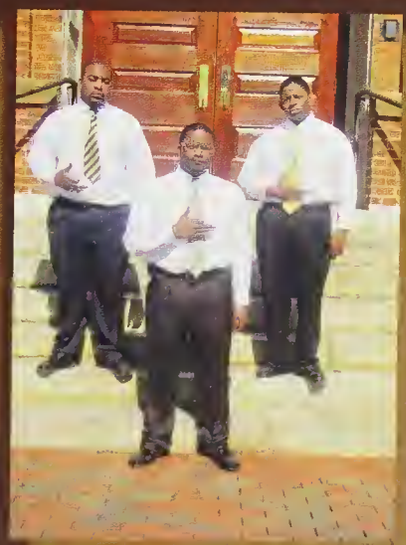
On September 19, 1963, at Morgan State College (now Morgan State University), 12 students founded what is now the nation's fifth largest, predominately African-American social service fraternity: The Iota Phi Theta Fraternity, Inc.



...Not Resting Upon One!"

Its, all non-traditional students, believed a more mature organization was needed to serve the African-American community. It is why all Iota men abide by the principles of Scholarship, Leadership, Citizenship, Fidelity and Brotherhood.





NOTABLE IOTAS:

Vaughn Booker
Defensive Lineman,
Green Bay Packers

Spencer Christian
Weather Anchorman,
"Good Morning
America"

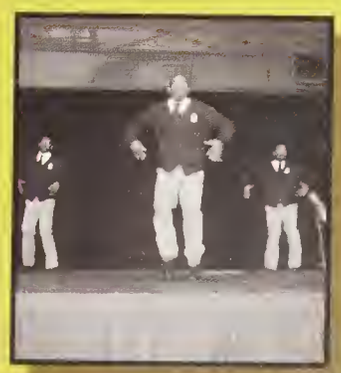
T.C. Carson
Actor

Desi Arnez Hines II
Actor

Jason Manuel Olazabal
Actor

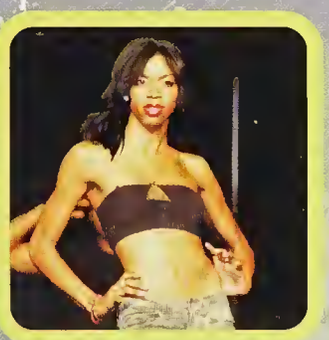
Webster Lewis
Jazz Musician

Bobby Rush
U.S. Congressman



Festi-BULL

Festi-Bull gets you started...

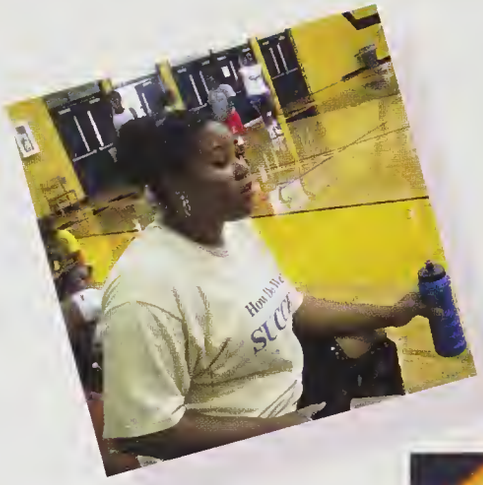


Homecoming

Homecoming gets you loose...

CAUGHT

You never know when paparazzi will be around. Don't get caught off guard or you will look like this.... =)



TRADITION:

Festi-BULL

"Tradition means giving votes to the most obscure of all classes, our ancestors. It is the democracy of the dead. Tradition refuses to submit to that arrogant oligarchy who merely happen to be walking around. ;) "
- G.K. Chesterton

Johnson C. Smith has a "Tradition" of hosting "Festi-BULL". Festi-BULL gives the community, friends, family, and alums of JCSU a chance to meet and greet the football, volleyball, bowling, cross country, men's and women's tennis, and cheerleading teams and coaches as well as the university band. This event is posed to be a fun-filled day for children and adults of all ages.

RIGHT: The Women's Tennis team!

BELOW: Seniors Maurice Scott and Sapphira Martin always ready for a photo opt!

FESTI-BULL

LEFT: Sigma Gamma Rho's

ABOVE: The men and women's tennis team... Looking forward to a great season!

RIGHT: Men's Track team!

LEFT: The Omegas doing their thing!

BELOW: The Womens Tennis Team!

FESTI-BULL

RIGHT: Senior Holisha Alexander reppin for the I.I.O.S!

BELOW: The Volleyball Team!!!

ABOVE: GBAC Rocking the Blue and Gold!

LEFT: SGRho's Steppin it out!

RIGHT: Introducing the Volleyball team!

RIGHT: The infamous Blue Satin Dance team!

BELOW: SGRho's working the stage.

ABOVE: Women's Track team

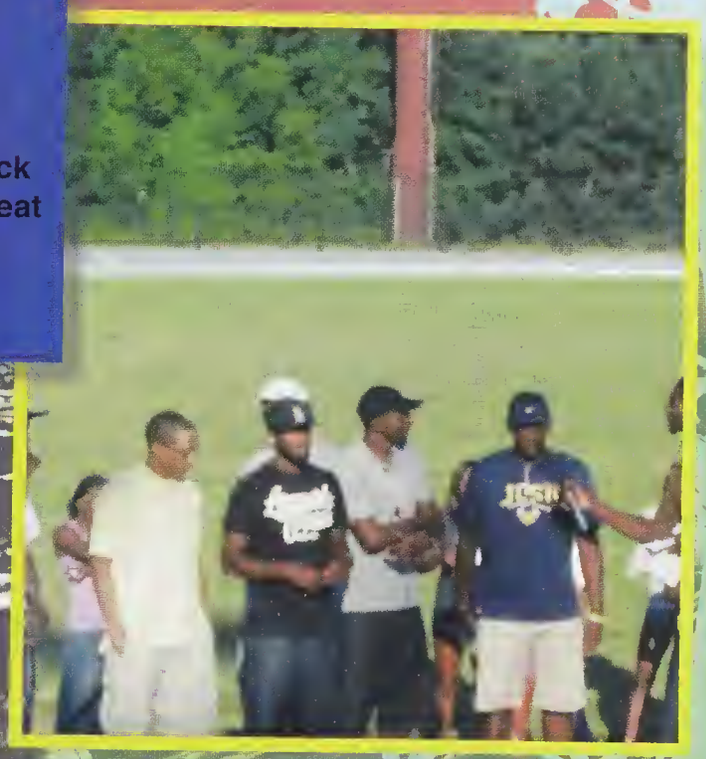
LEFT: The Iota's... "The bow, the bow..."

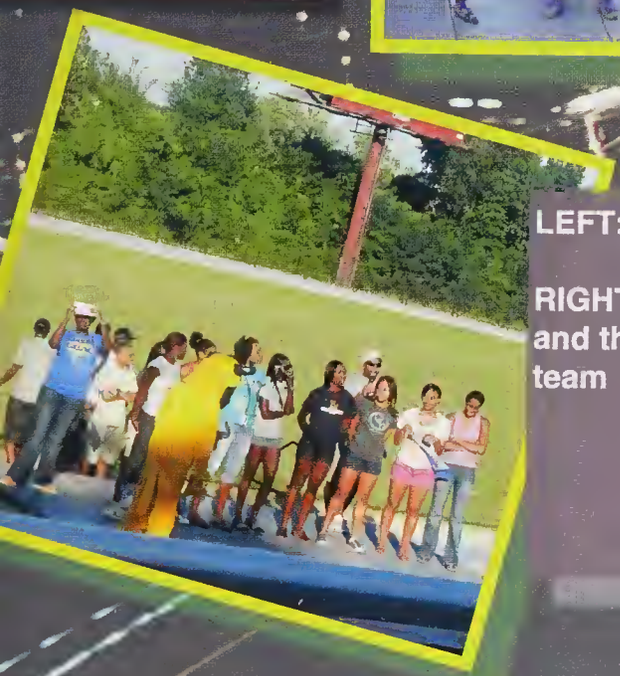
LEFT: The Omega's hopping!

LEFT: Kappa's giving the crowd a taste of what they do!

RIGHT: The Men's track team... Ready for a great season.

EFT: The CIAA tepshow hampions! The igma's!

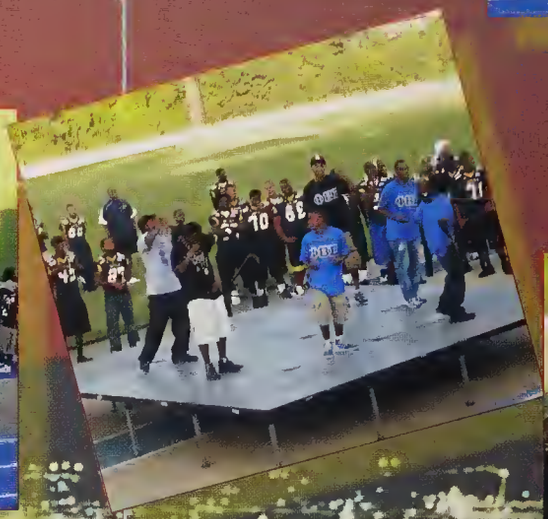




LEFT: Women's track...

RIGHT: Mr. Cuthbertson and the Men's tennis team

Festi-BULL



TOP RIGHT: Luv-a-bulls getting the crown hype!

MIDDLE LEFT: SG Rho's getting ready to show out.

ABOVE: The men of Omega Psi Phi stompin the yard.

UNITY

Homecoming

"So powerful is the light of unity that it can illuminate the whole earth."

This year's Homecoming theme was "The Redemption of SMITH". The homecoming theme was created by Vice President of Financial Affairs of SGA, Maurice Scott. The intention was to increase the level of campus pride. The goal was to redeem the pride of our Golden Bulls.

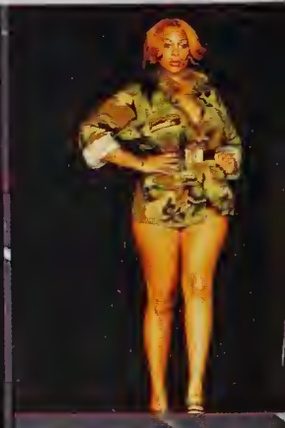
-Erica Hilton

HOMECOMING 2010!

RIGHT: Smithites enjoy creating Street Signs in the Union.

BELOW: UNPARALLEL MODELING TROUPE RIPPING THE RUNWAY!

FA-SHO MODELING TROUPE DOING THE SOLDIER SALUTE!



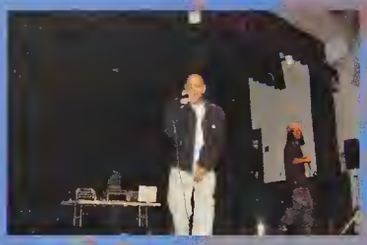
RIGHT: The I.I.O.S giving a crowd pleasing show!

BELOW: Miss JCSU Shakirah Randolph and her escort.

BELOW: Homecoming Powder Puff Game!

ABOVE: Seniors Gernae Chase & Janet Cooper cracking jokes as they host the Comedy Show! BELOW: FA-SHO & UNPARALLEL Modeling!

HOMECOMING!



Soon to be on BET'S 106 &Park!

A dynamic Duo!

NC A&T students giving Smithites a show!

Getting ready to rip the stage!

LEFT: Sophomore Kelli Webb tailgating!

RIGHT: The Drumline preparing to give a great show!

HOMECOMING!

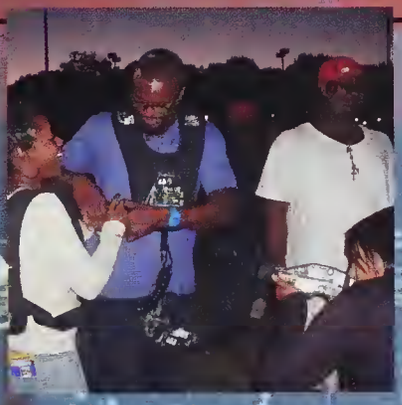
Fascinated by the luxuries in this truck!
BELOW: Junior Dymond Spain getting geared up and ready for Laser Tag!

Is it the Wii in the back of a truck? Say it isn't so...

BELOW: Dave Mack playing around!

The local radio station promoting the wonderful JCSU Homecoming.

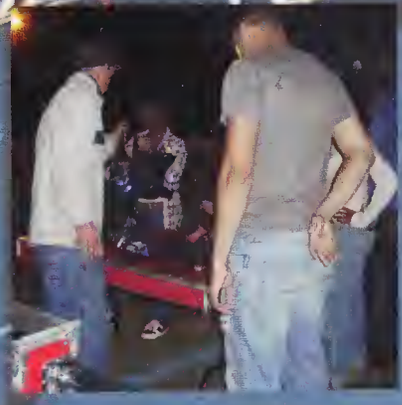
SENIORS AND JUNIORS POWDER PUFF GAME!



ABOVE: Laser Tag! Every person for themselves!

LEFT: Juniors Brittany Neighbors and Sedana Noble having a little fun.

BELOW: SGA President Erica Hilton!



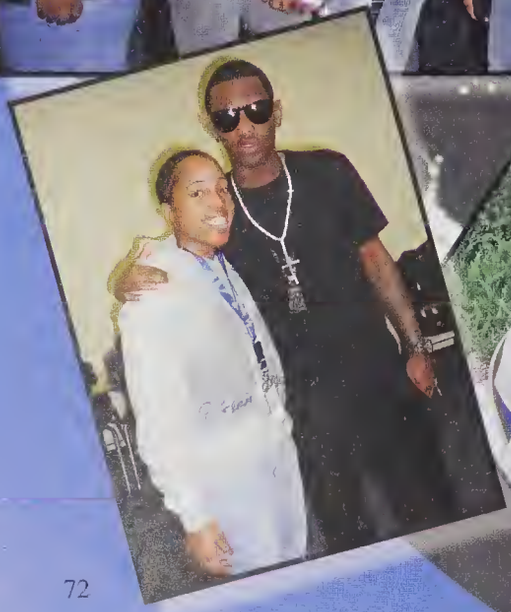
LEFT: James "Fox" Foxworth checking out Laser Tag.

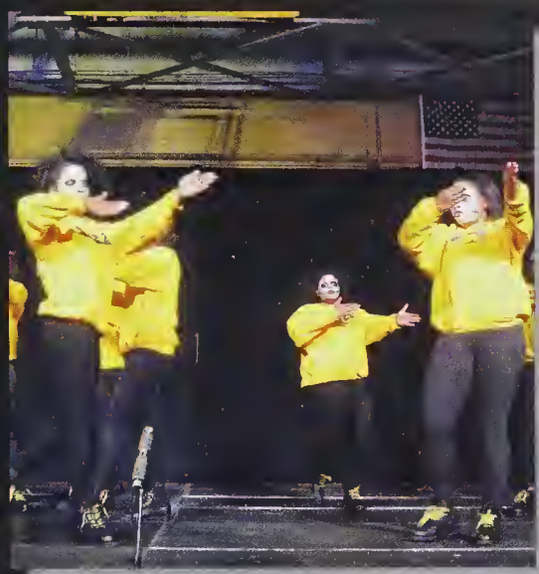
SOUTHEAST
KENYA'S WORL
ONLY
CRIMSON WAY
ΦΒΣ

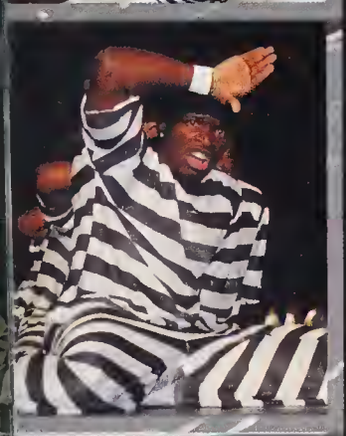
LIL MUNCHKIN

EXIT

NEKA HOLLYWOOD AVE
NIKETA BLVD





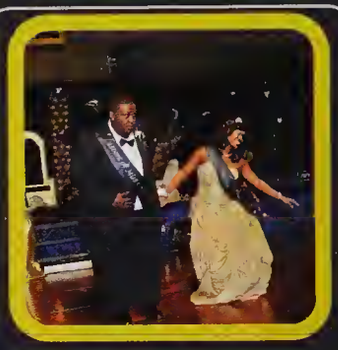


PURE ELEGANCE

Miss ICSU Coronation

Shakirah Naadiyah Randolph was born in Chester, Pennsylvania, to Maria Randolph and was reared there along with her two beautiful sisters, Shamir and Shakuwra. At an early age, Shakirah demonstrated the importance of being a leader and being involved. Shakirah attended Stephanie Cain's School of Modeling and Charm School for 7 years, where she learned the art of modeling, tap, and ballet.

During her leisure time, she enjoys working with youth mentoring programs. Her career goals are to obtain a Master's and Doctorate degree that will enable her to impact the nation's youth thorough education, self-esteem, and motivation. Shakirah is a very compassionate, loyal, humble, yet enterprising young woman who makes the most of every opportunity to be of service to humankind. She creates her own finish line! "Being the first to cross the finish line makes you a winner in only one phase of life. It's what you do after you cross the line that really counts." Ralph Boston



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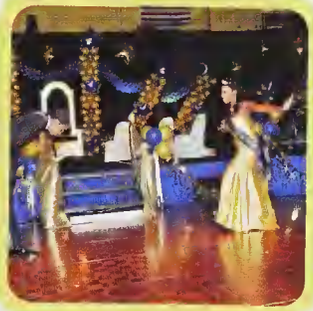

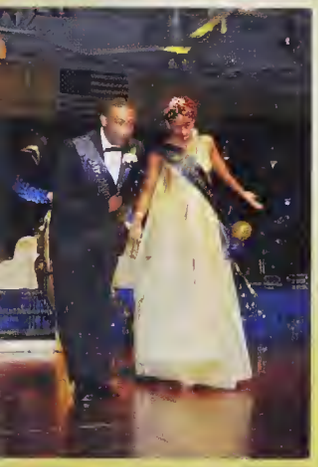

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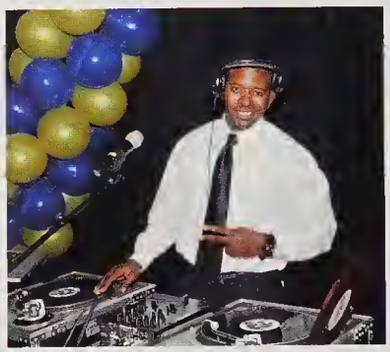

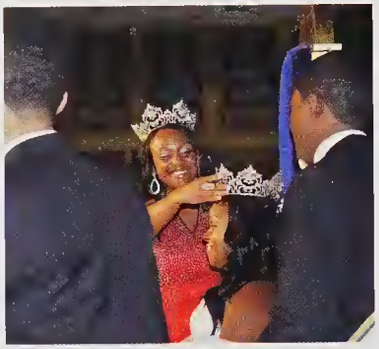

Miss Junior

Royal Gentle

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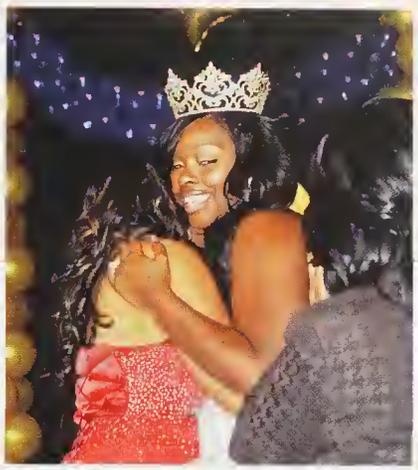
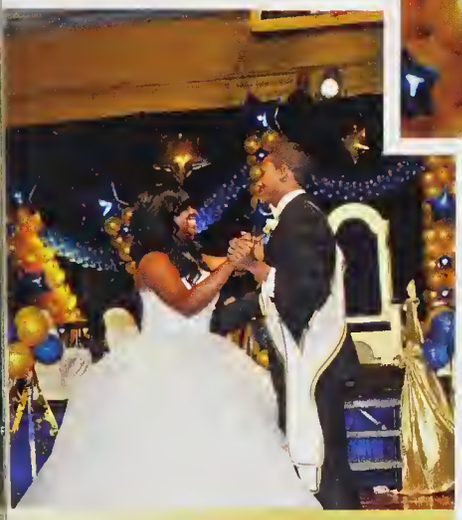
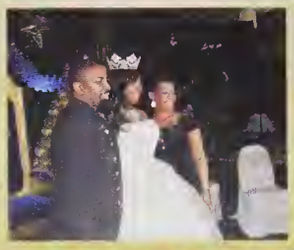
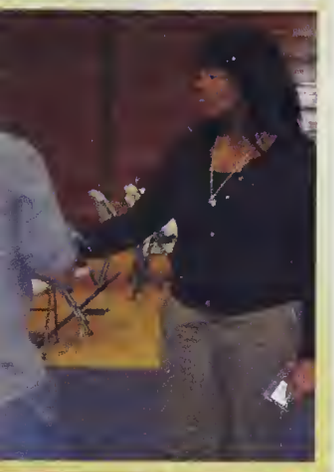








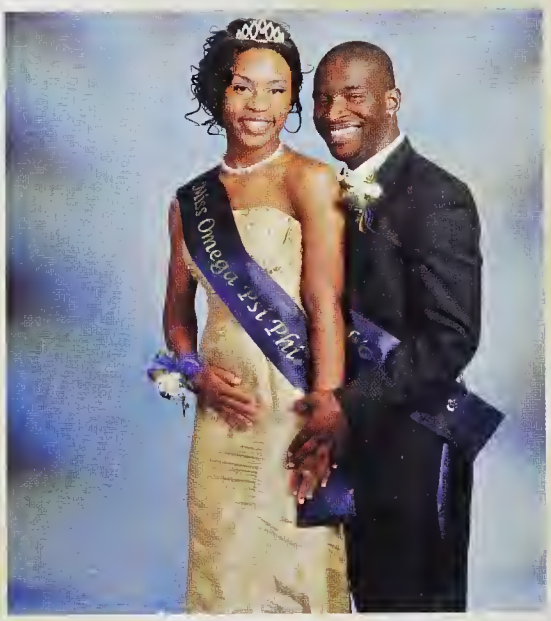
ROYALTY

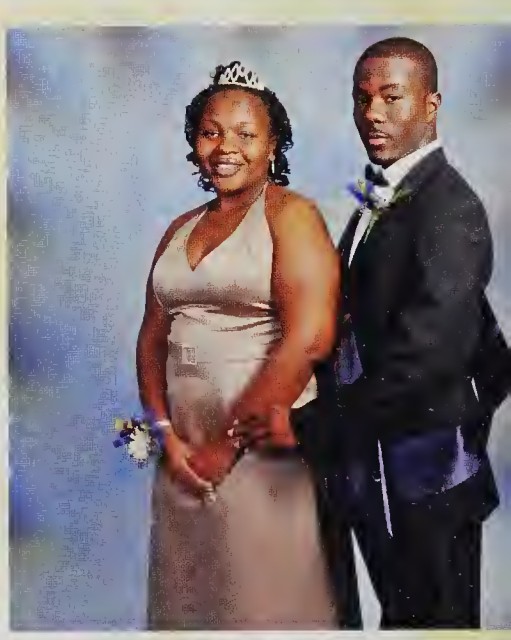
Organization Kings & Queens

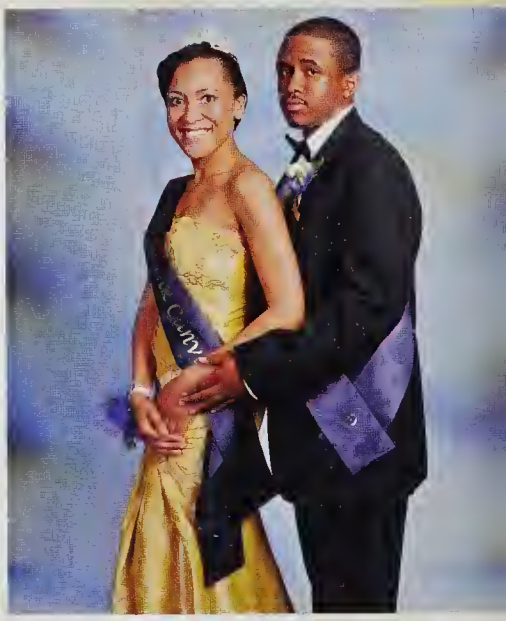
Mr. & Ms. Freshman
Alexis Hagney &
Lee Williams Jr.

Mr. & Ms. Omega Psi Phi
Latitia-Ashley Hayes &
De'Andre Moore

Mr. & Ms. National Council of Negro Women
Nicole Baker &
Anthony Carton







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Mr. Ms. Tri-State
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Kai Jennings

Mr. & Ms. Blank Canvas
Taylor Perry &
Aaron Owens

Mr. & Ms. Carter Hall
Bentley Mays
Trevor Allen

Ms. Greenfield Hall
Monique Fontenot
Escorted By
Corey Lemaire

Mr. & Ms. Student
Support Services
Lanyo Cuff &
Courtney Reels

Mr. & Ms. Collegiate
Sisters Inc Arrion
Kayla Williams &
Willie Smith

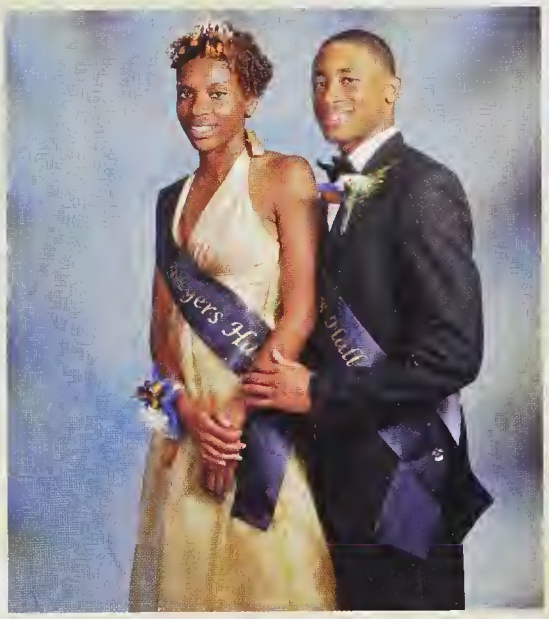
Mr. & Ms. Sanders Hall
Shaul West &
Tamara Williams

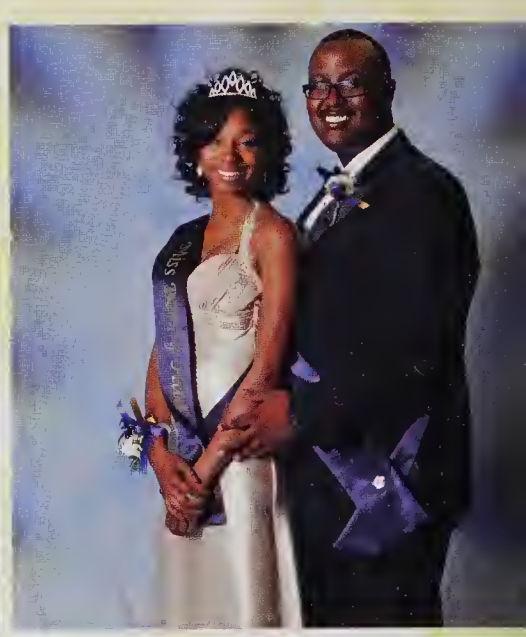
Ms. Social Work
Dejaun Harris

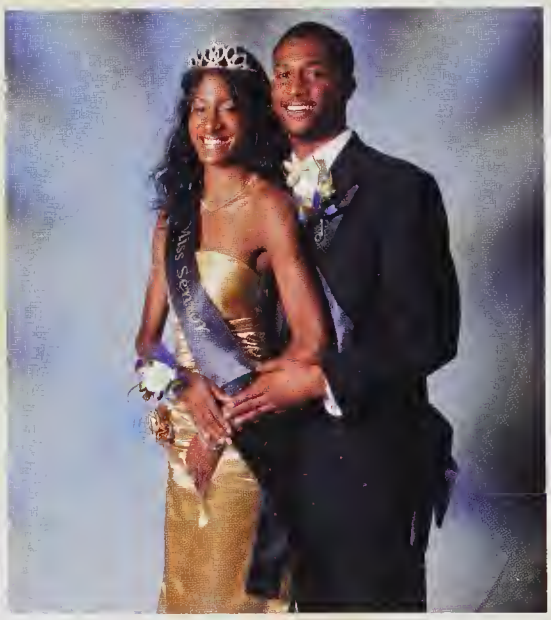
Mr. & Ms. Myers Hall
Kalanie Blake &
Tyler Bell

Mr. & Ms. Residence Life
Shanele Brown &
Sean Moore

Mr. & Ms. Berry Hall
Shabree Greene &
Kenny Holt







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Jocelyn Ballard &
Lorenzo Vincent

Mr. & Ms. Senior
Courtney Walker-Moss &
Dennis Monroe

Mr. & Ms. Junior
Patience Harris &
Clement Bowman

Mr. & Ms. Liston Hall
Melissa Gregory &
Jeremiah Clark

Mr. & Ms.
Iota Phi Theta
Ashley Coody &
Terrell Dayton

Mr. & Ms.
Kappa Alpha Psi
Brenda Sue &
Jeffrey Jackson

Mr. & Ms. Smith Hall
Samantha Harper &
Vincent Shandsfield

Mr. & Ms. Midwest
Lance Simpson &
Bishop Walker

Mr. & Ms.
Delta Mu Delta
Lawrence Brown &
Arlan Miles

Mr. & Ms. University Choir
Lincoln Wrenson &
Dominique Smith

Mr. & Ms. New Residence Hall
Danielle Stanford &
Christopher Broughton

Mr. & Ms. Sophomore
Renee Darden &
Daniel Monte

Mr. & Ms. Mathematics
Marcus Biggers &
Lilian Bernard

Ms. SIFE
Rosa White

Miss JCSU Attendants

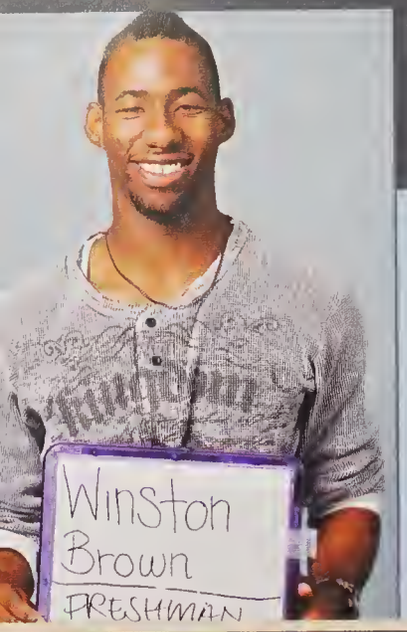
1st Attendant
Cassie Grier
Escorted By
Dallas Brown

2nd Attendant
Candice Connors
Escorted By
Bobby Tate

I would like to thank all people who have contributed to this year's pageant. You all are honored and have made my year special. I hope one day I will have more dreams and have others that succeed and surpass my reach them. Remember everything has a season, but our crowns are a lifetime and are to remember I was in and will always be in you. I also want to thank the parents for support and everyone who helped make this a memorable occasion that I will never forget.

Tiesha Lee
Student Teacher
Miss JCSU 2010-2011

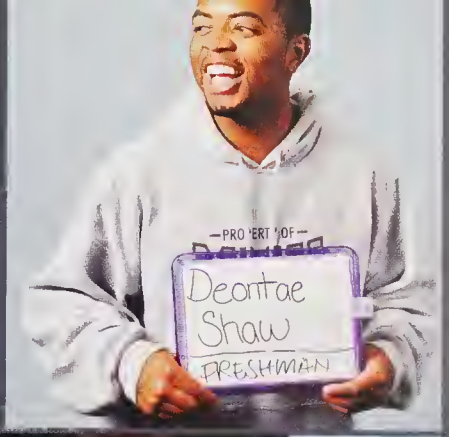
"Pretty is something you're born with. But beautiful, that's an equal opportunity adjective."

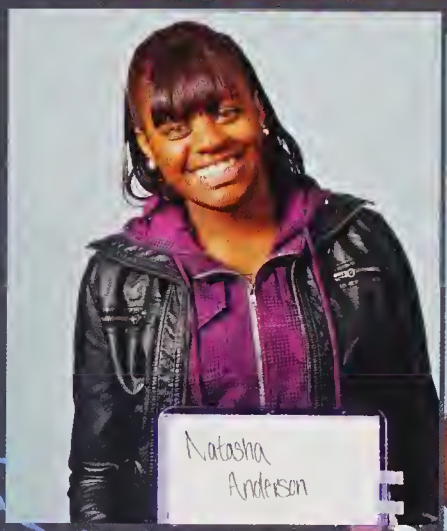


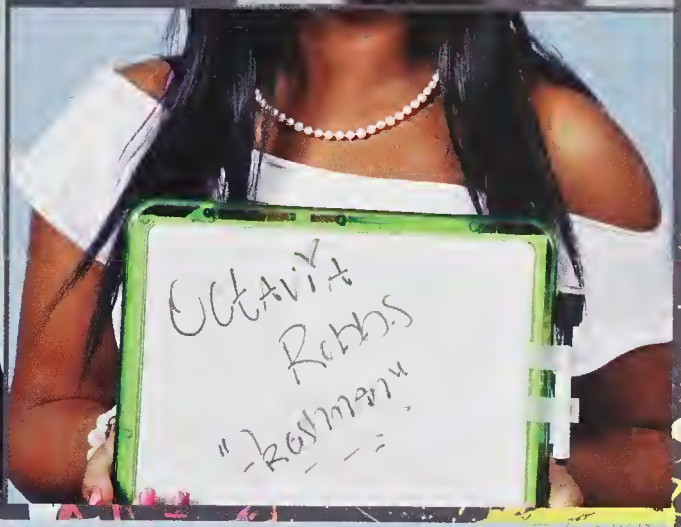
Rookies

Freshmen Class Picture

"The beginning is the most important part of the work."
-Plato







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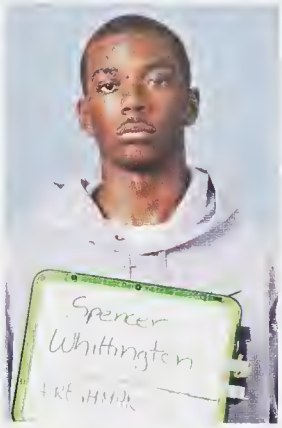

"The secret of getting ahead is getting started."
-Unknown

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Black, Fateya

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Brown, Joseph

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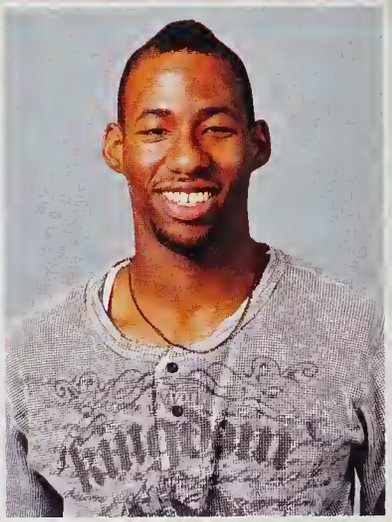

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Byrd, Ashton

Carodine, Lauren

Crawley, Ashley

George, Nykwan

Class of 2014

Gore, Teyonna

Green, Shabre

Griggs, Aaliyah

Hicks, Sharonda

Howard, Briana

Hughey, Alexis

Jernigan, Quintin

Kohn, Chris

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Macky, Danielle

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Norris, Jenne'

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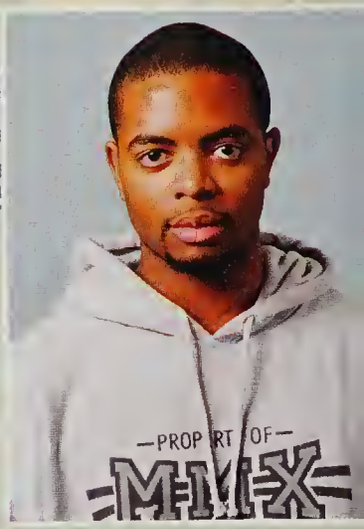
O'Brien, Zach

Pearson, Elijah

Robbs, Octavia



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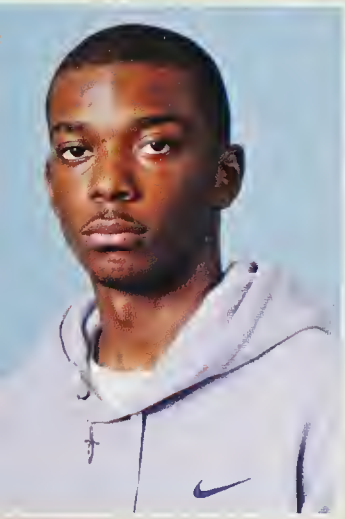
Walker, T'Keyah

Warren, Britney

Watson, Gayon

Watson, Randale

Class of 2014



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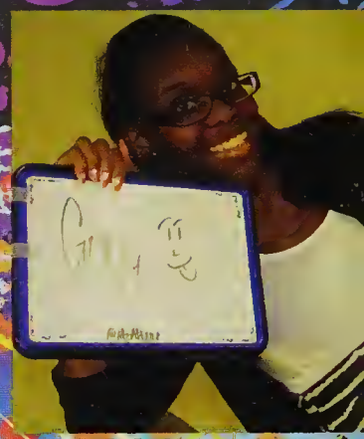
The Freshmen Class Council

Welcome Class



If you had to describe yourselves in one word....

Special Thanks to Ms. Sonia Youngblood for collaborating this effort!! :)

# of 2014!!!!!!!!!

What would it be???

<< Lively

QuiZZical>>

<< REAL

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<< Assiduous

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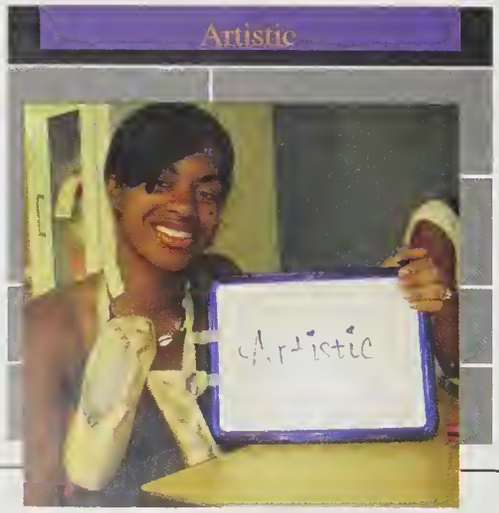
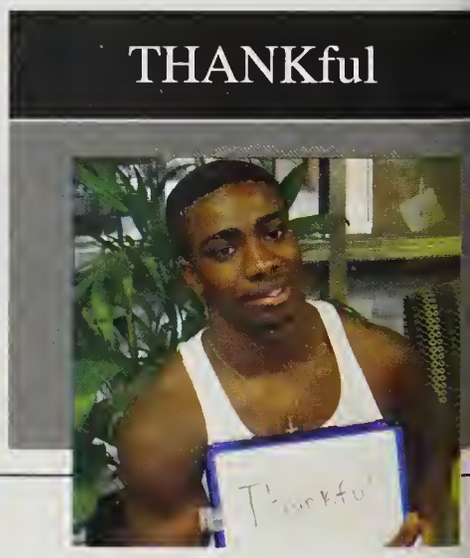
FresHmen ONE WoRd



Artistic

Tenacious



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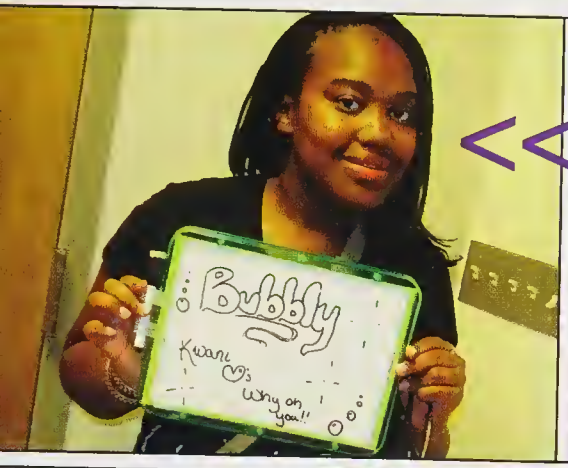

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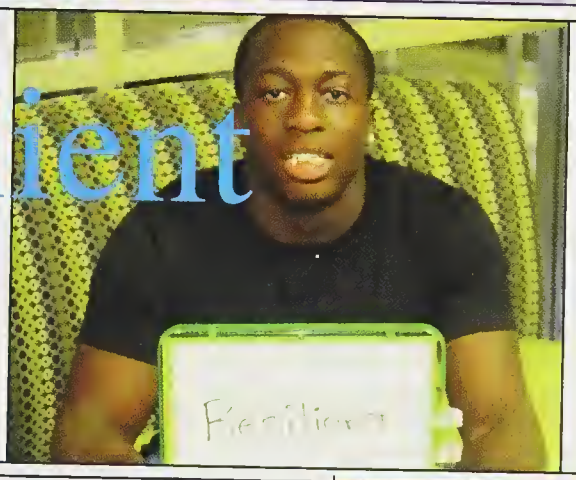
Classy >>

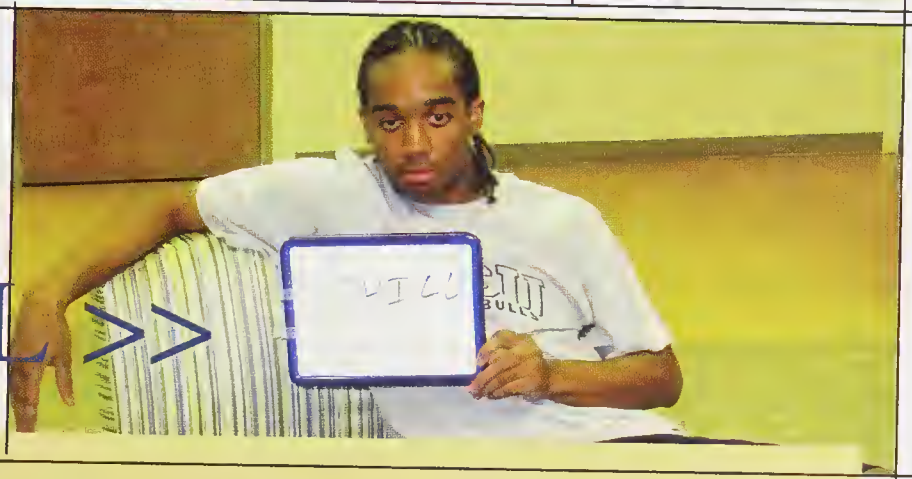
Resilient



Inquirer >>

<< Bubbly

CHILL >>

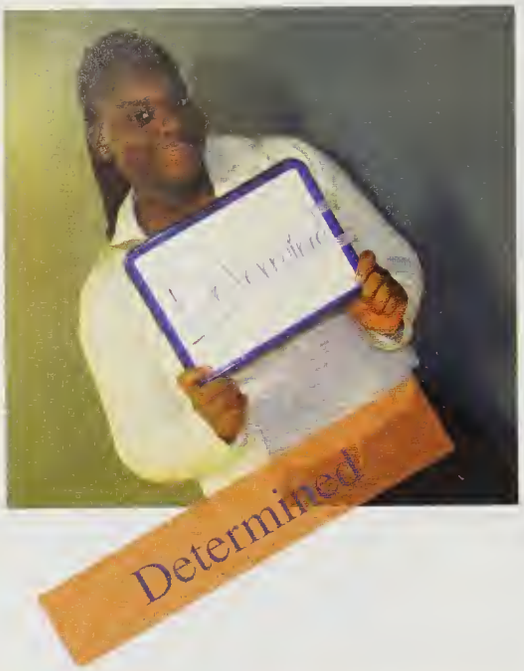


FrEshmen One WOrD

Stand-Out

Responsible

Ambitious



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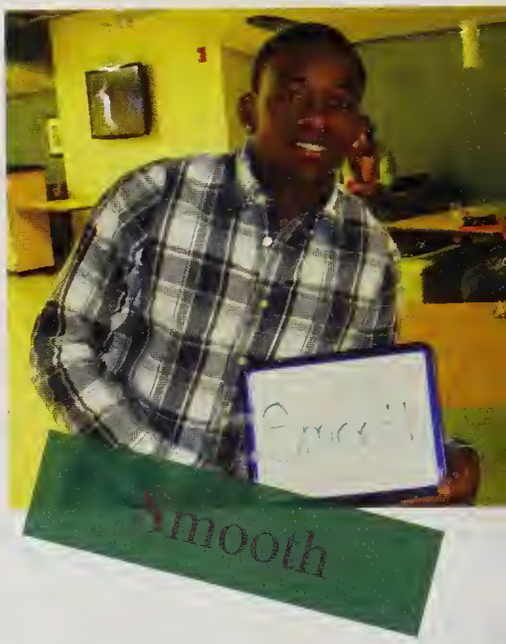

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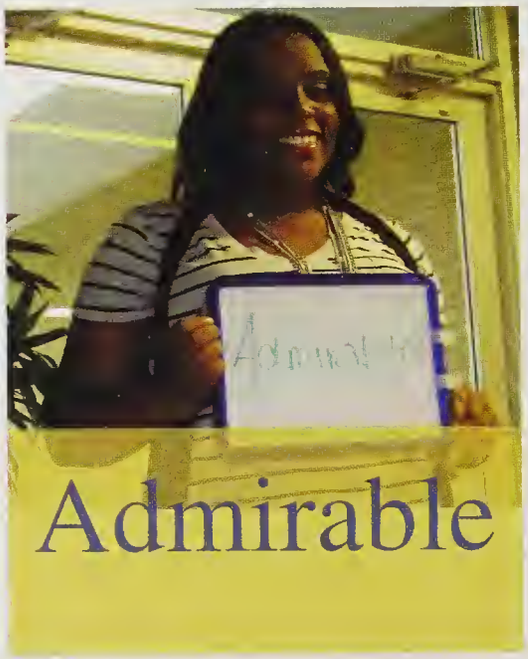

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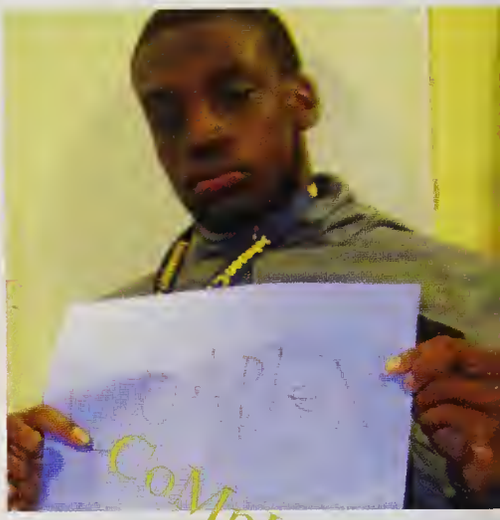

Sociable

SlimEEE

CraZy- ActiN

Blessed

EXCITING!

Prosperous

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Serious >>

Independent >>

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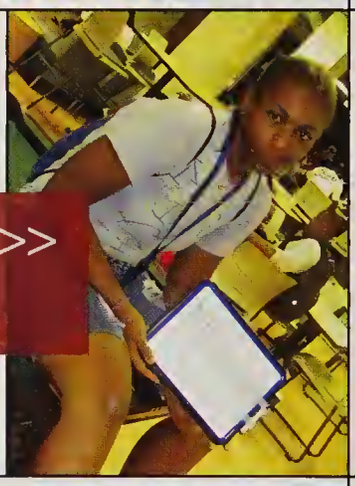

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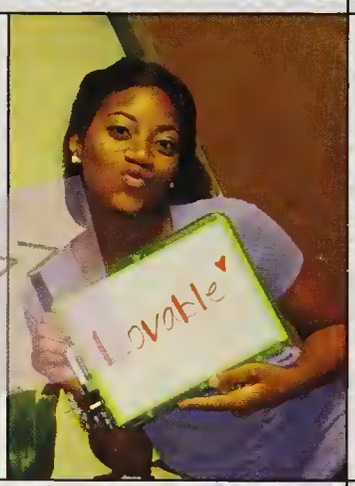
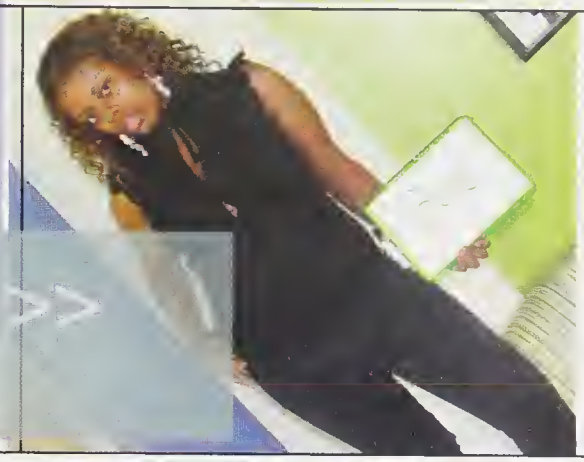
Unique >>

IMAGINATIVE

Lovable >>



Freshmen One Word



Innovative

Lovely

Class of

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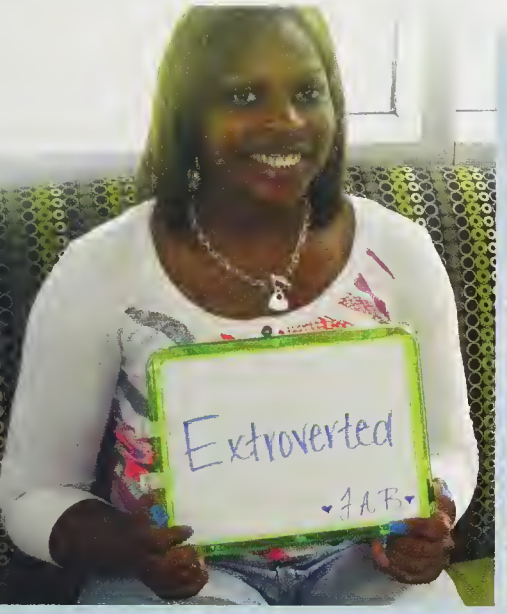
Blessed

Class of 2014



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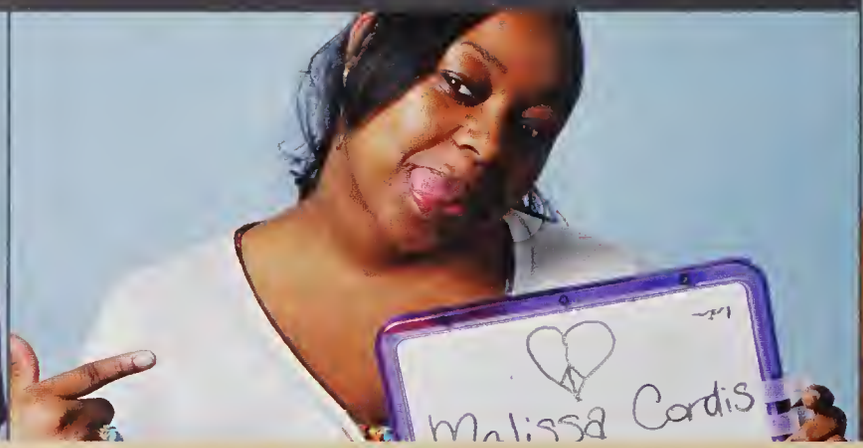

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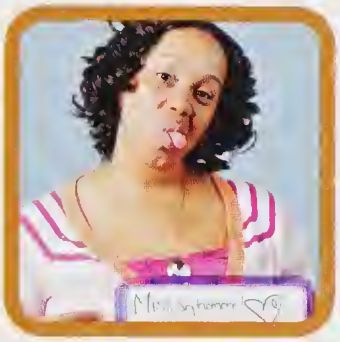
Sophomore Class Pictures

Tony
Gaines
Sophomore

Sophomore



Amber
Sophomore

FALCON BULLS
FOOTBALL
Reginald
Conn

Anderson, Jenay
Babb, Yolanda
Barnes, Samantha
Bessellieu, Qwatosha

Bey- Wright, Tai
Bowman, Shanae
Briscoe, Naffene
Brown, Alexa

Brown, Alexandria
Brown, Sophia
Camille, Erica
Cobb-Symone, Raven

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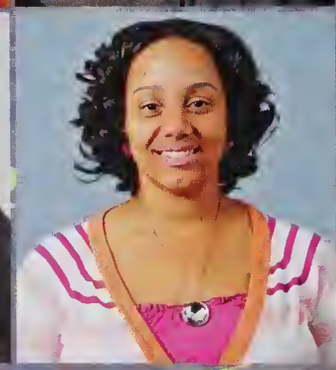

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Govan, Bianca
Gregg, Meagon

Griffin, Laffenia
Gross, Diamond
Hailey, LeeAnna
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Hodge, Erica
Hokett, Alicia
Hunter, SheKeena
Johnson, Keneasha

Johnson, Sabrina
Jones, Margaret
Lutu-Ray, Joyce
Martin, Janelle

Mays, Jasmine
McCants, Janae
McIntyre, Tezequa
McPherson, April

Miller, Ieisha
Moore, Ashley
Morris, Doniece
Morris, Jarel

Mosley, Jordan
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Paramore, Brittne
Pruden, Jasmine

Quattlebaum, Amber
Rice, Dominique
Robertson, Whitney
Robins, Joi

Rouse, Portia
Samuels, Shawntae'
Sanders, Tierra
Selby, De'Shauna

Short, Typhani
Simon, Latifah
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Spells, Brionna

Williams, Kayle
Witherspoon, Auzree'
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The Sophomore Class Council

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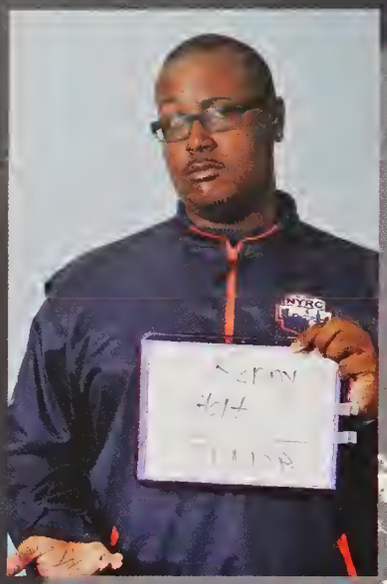

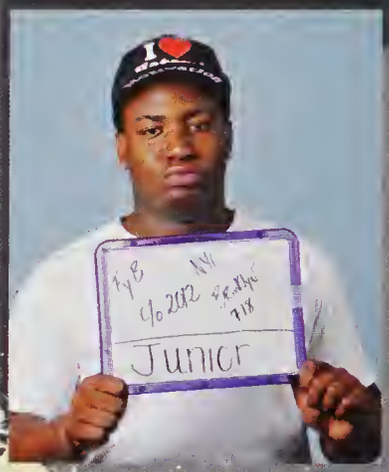

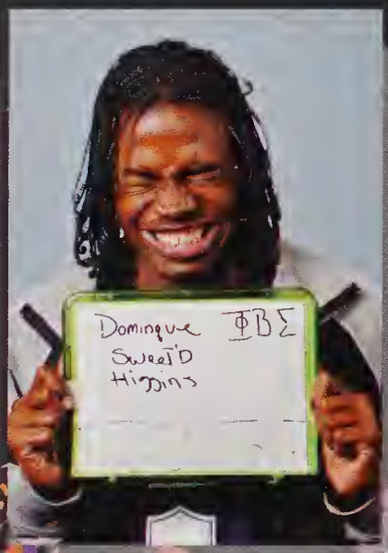

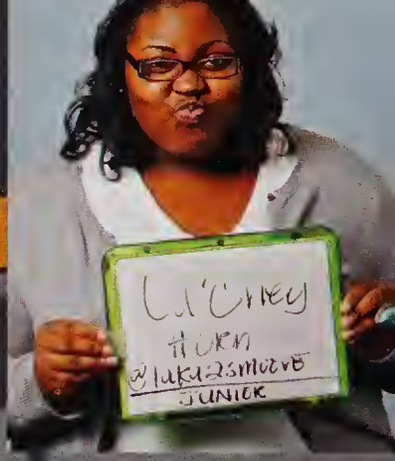

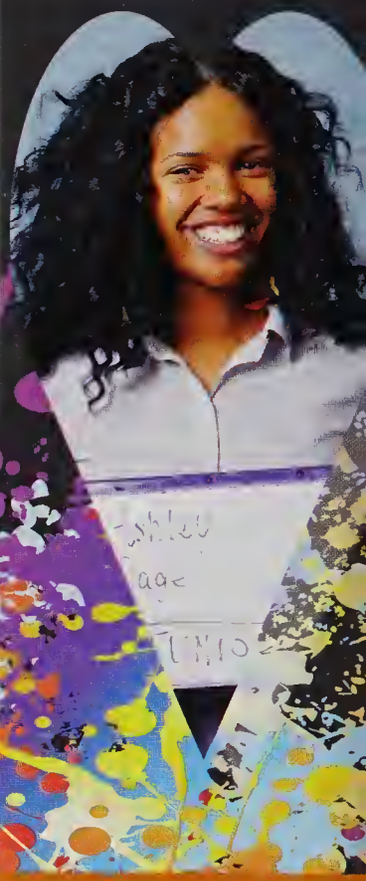

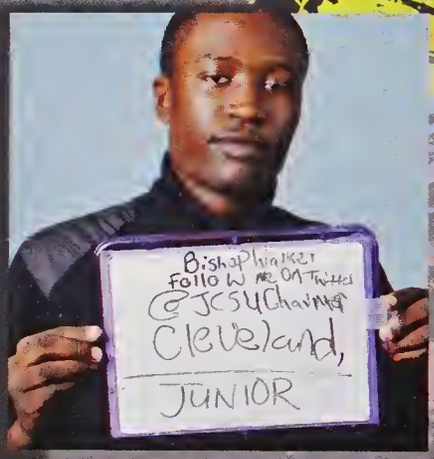

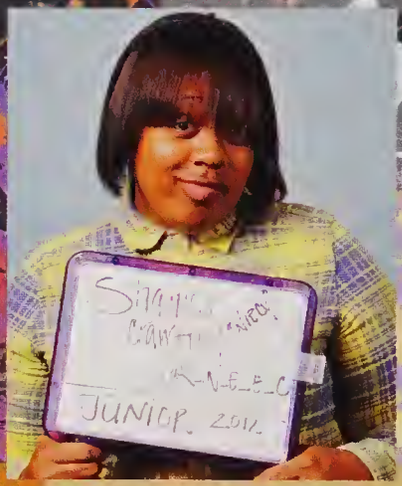

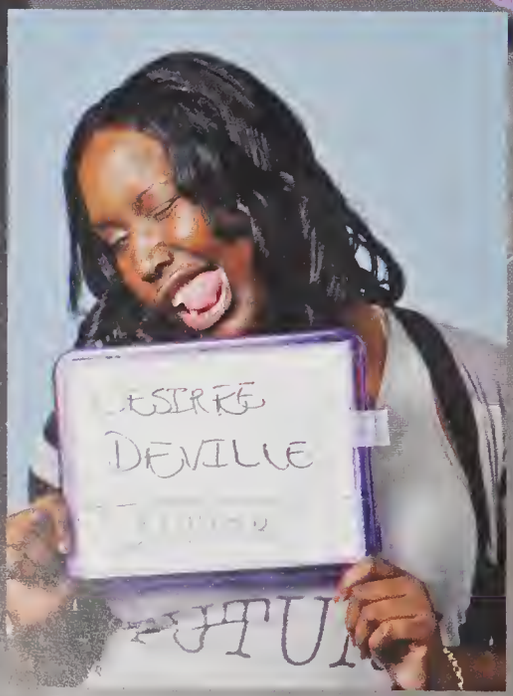

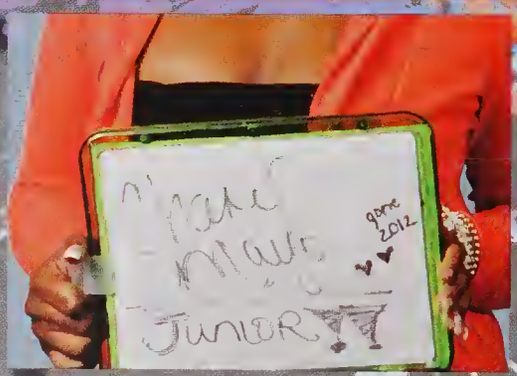

Junior Class Pictures

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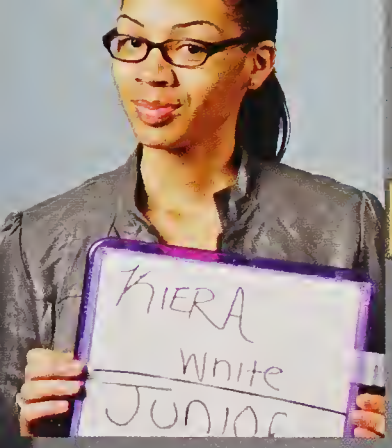

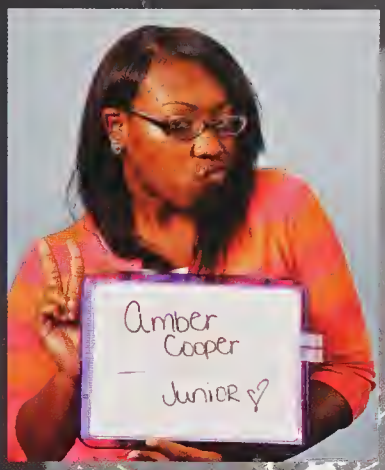

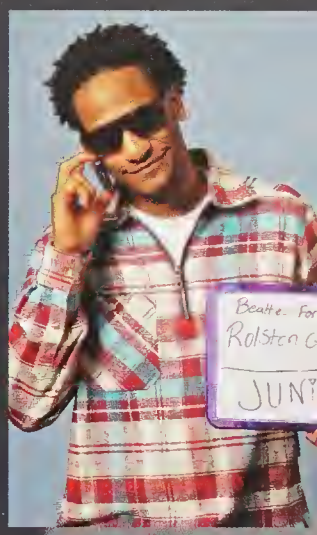

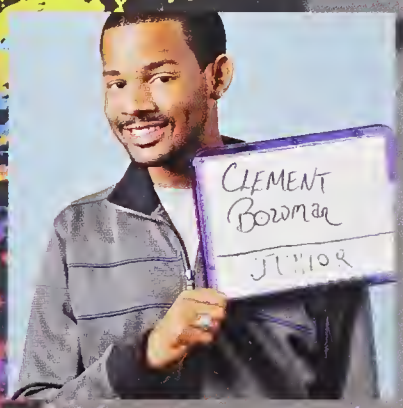

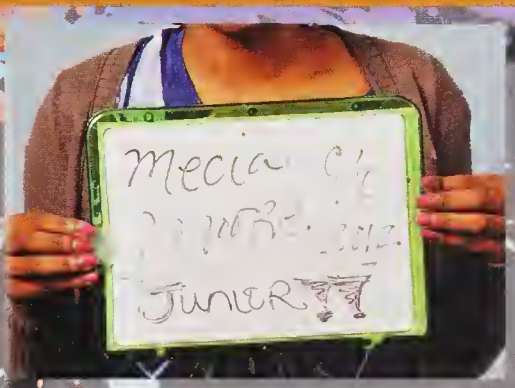

Junior Class Pictures

Junior Class Council

Junior Class Pictures

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Brown, Ca'Shawna
Brown, Dyrrick

Butts, Robert
Csrty, Rosemarie
Clements, Ravelle
Collins, Chenelle
Cooper, Amber
Copeland, DeAngelo

Crawford, Shanice
Davis, Evonda
Deville, Desiree
Foy, Jessica
Gabriel, Rolston
Gittens, Jamila

Glenn, Ashton
Goddard, Tanesha
Goins, Marla
Hall-Anderson, Kristin
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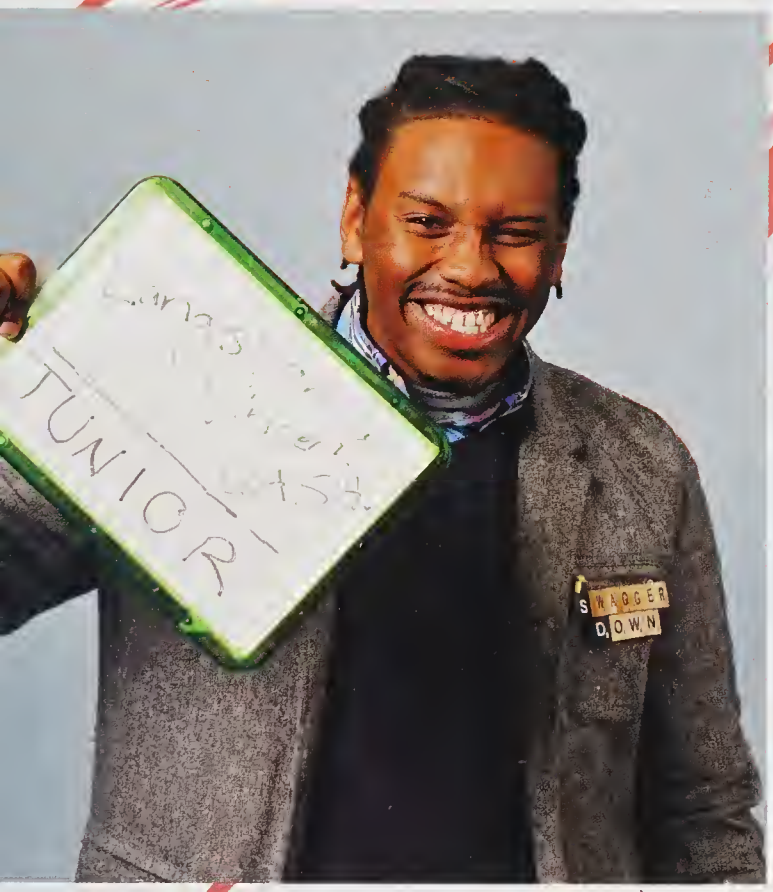

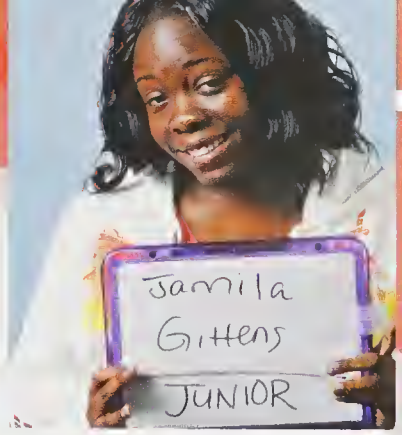

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Onunu, Christina
Owens, Aaron
Page, Ashley

Parker, Aalexis
Robinson, Gabrielle
Ross, Meisha
Rushen, Brandon
Smith, Britney
Smith, Cardell

Sue, Rolanda
Taylor, Jalisa
Thomas, Chate'a
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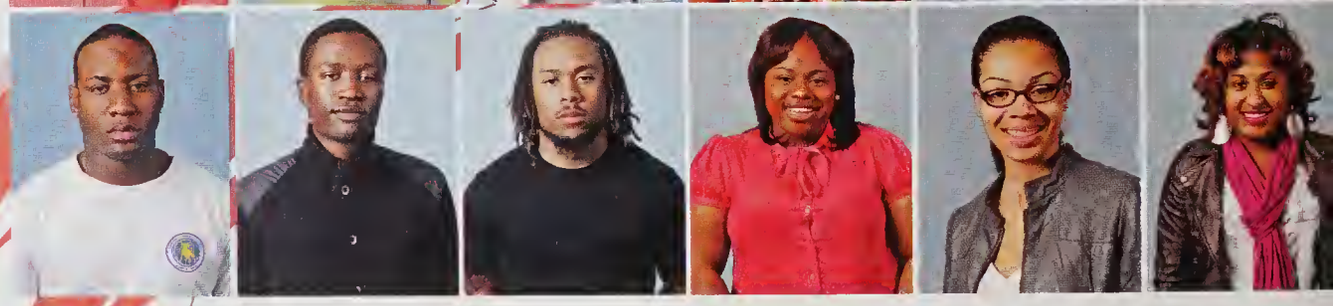

Metropolitan College

"Its Never Too Late..."

The Metropolitan College offers undergraduate adult degree programs for adults that enhance their opportunities for career advancement and success. The Metropolitan College provides adults with flexible, convenient schedules and a variety of course styles including on-campus and online courses, as well as our flex-option for courses that include both online and in-class instruction.

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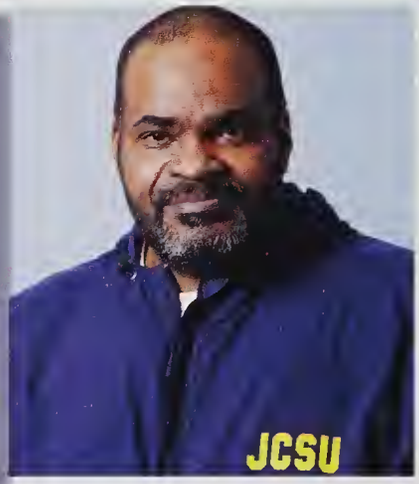

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Leaders Athletes

SPORTS

Let's go Golden Bulls!

Men's Track Team

Women's Track Team

Men's Tennis Team

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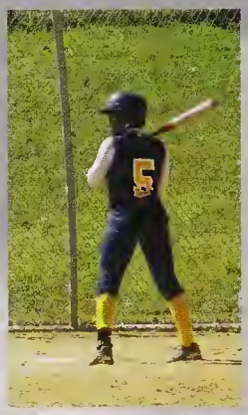
Golden Bulls

Football Team

JCSU Softball TEAM



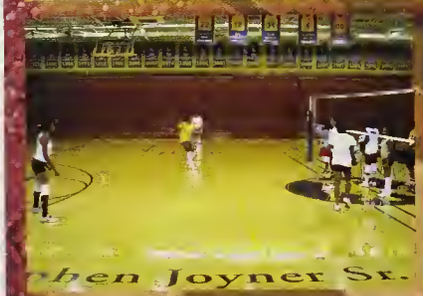
"Individual commitment to a group effort -- that is what makes a team work, a company work, a society work, a civilization work."

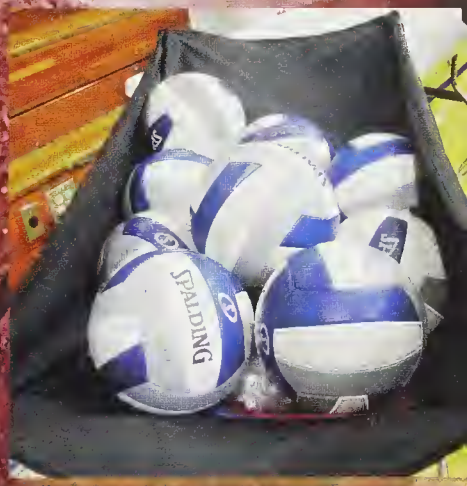
Outstanding Athlete

"We are good. Everyone works hard and puts forth good effort. We have great coaches and I believe we are going to come first in the region."

- Britney Warren

Women's Volleyball Team





Jennifer Williams: "Our season was better than last year and we played more as a team."

Men's Basketball Team

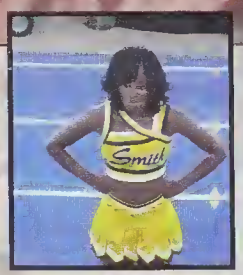
Your still the best in the...

Men and Women's Basketball Teams did excellent this year. Although we did not take the CIAA title, you will always be CHAMPIONS at Johnson C. Smith University!

Women's Basketball Team

...CIAA

"Great. I feel that we can get the opportunity to win the CIAA championship and to even go nationally to be a part of the NCAA tournament."
Moe Gamble



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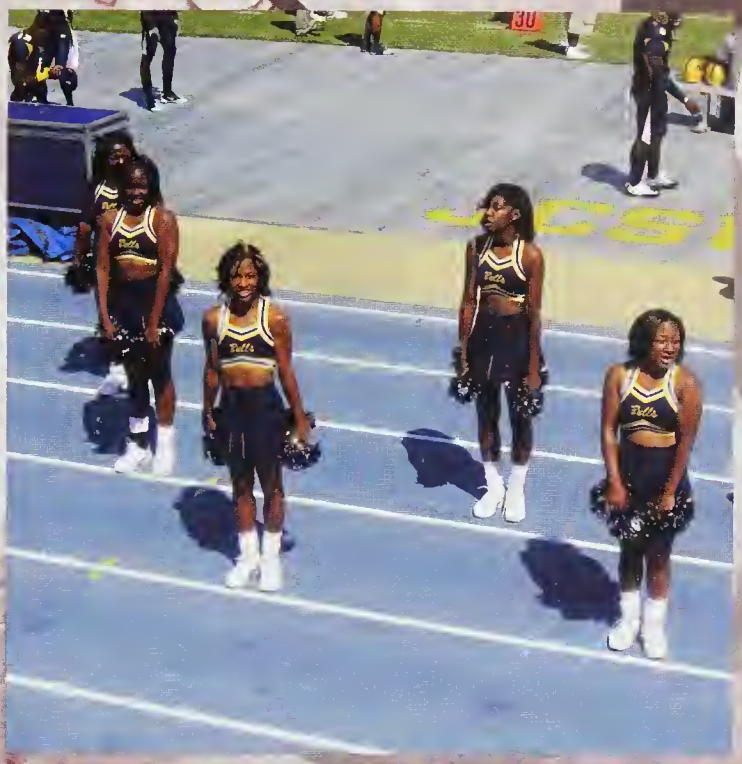
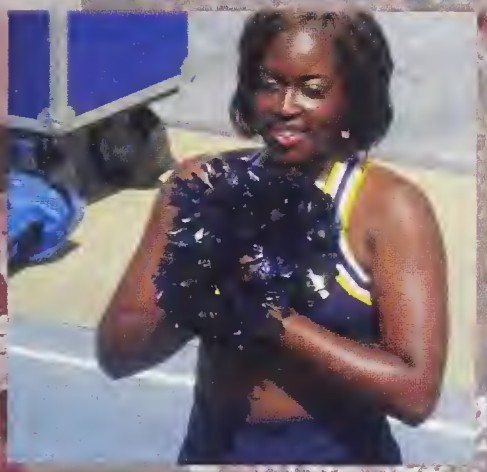
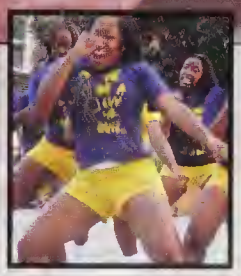
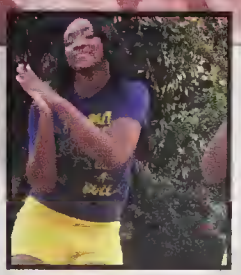


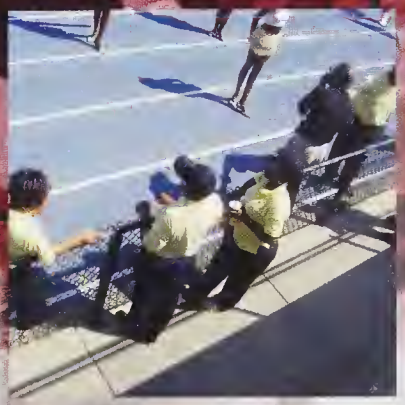


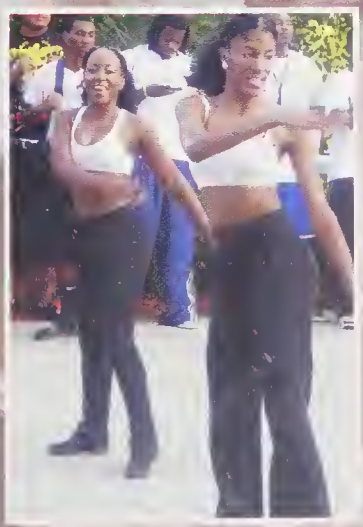




CHEERLEADERS

JCSU BAND





International Institution of Sound (IIOS)

Organizations

There are many organizations on campus. If you are not involved in any, please join. Everyone is encouraged to get involved in campus activities.

Alpha Phi Omega

ORGANIZATIONS

Golden Bull Activities Committee

GBAC- Golden Bull Activities Committee

G-Lounge Club

Spiritual Life Club

Myers Hall Council

Organizations

Joining organizations makes your HBCU college experience one to live for!

ORGANIZATIONS

Tri-State Club

Myers Hall RA's

Bull's Eye View- Sports News

THE Leaders >> of The Future!

Where it all begins...

National Council of Negro Women

1st Class Entertainment

Organizations

Black Ink Monks

Beta Kappa Chi

Student Government Association

SGA

The Hilton Administration came in soaring as they made folders laying on the beds of freshmen, informing them of their duties and demonstrating who they have the potential to become. Congratulations on a successful year!

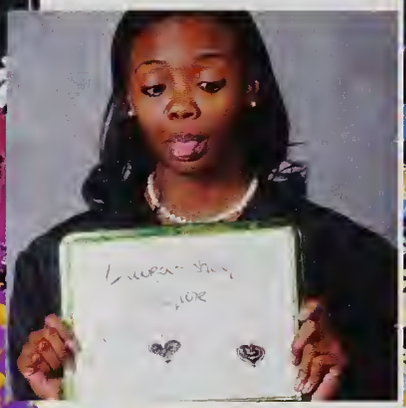
Student Government Association

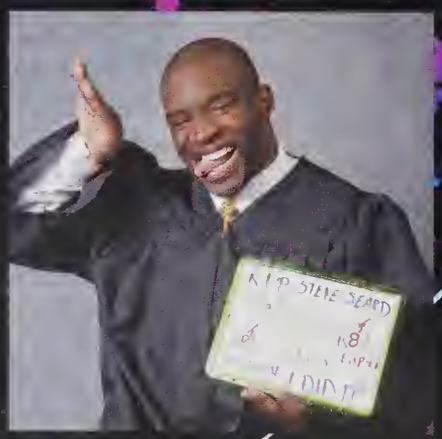
SGA

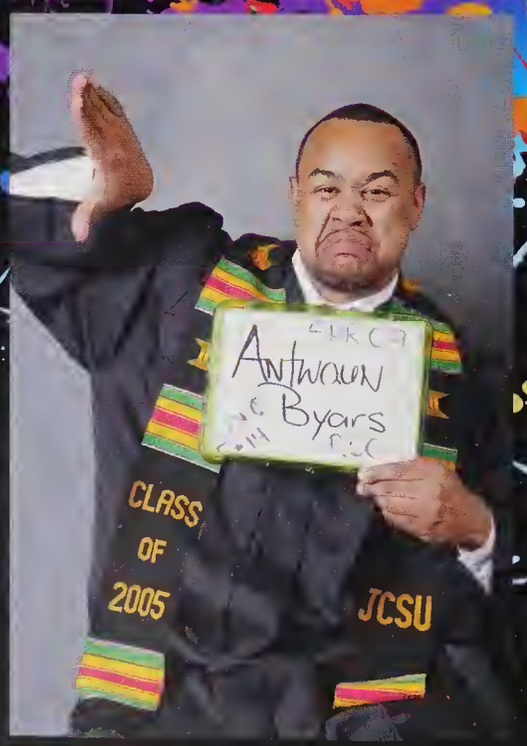
One of the programs SGA conducted was Business Wednesday. Every organization was required to wear business attire on Wednesday of each week. Great initiative to get college students ready for the real world!

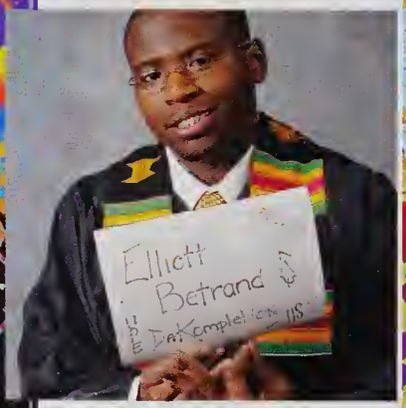
Between not having to leave campus for parties and seniors getting opportunities left and right for community service, EVERY SGA officer did a GREAT job handling their responsibilities. Next years SGA must step up their game.

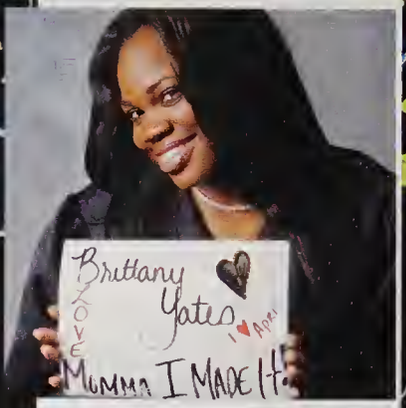
CLASS OF 2011







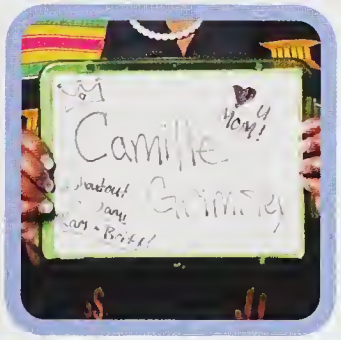




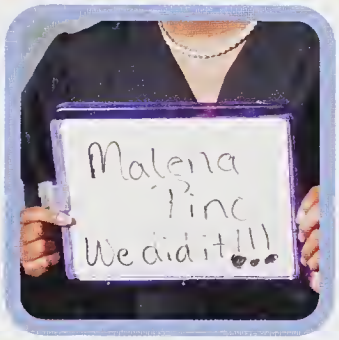
MOST MEMORABLE SENIOR CONFESSIONS...

1: Once upon a time, I Quadasia Walker-Moss was a block 4 student (only the best block in '07-'08). I used to think the cafe food was gourmet meals from HEAVEN! But, of course that was in my younger days. I've grown to bigger and better things now, THE BOOKSTORE!
2: Sophomore year, in case you weren't there, Sapphira ponytail fell off while we were dancing. #CLASSIC
3: Junior year, I use to steal Maurice car all the time and never answer his phone calls if he was looking for me.
4: I LOVE DANCING FOR BLUE SATIN!
5: I use to be a psychology major
6: I use to sneak into practice through the small ensemble room window every time I was late so I wouldn't have to walk past the drum majors. SHHHH.....
7: Being Miss Senior brings joy to everyone!
8: My favorite color is GOLD
9: I used to be the tallest girl at smith. THANKS LEESH (jojo palazzo!) Lol
10: Sneakers make me happy!
11: My middle name is Hercules
12: Confession 13 is a lie.
13: I HOLD HIGH MY GOLD AND BLUE!!

Senior Confessions

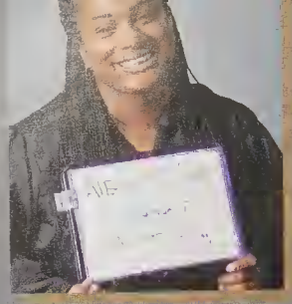


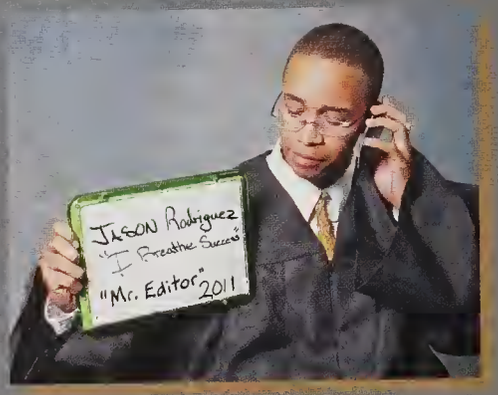
Senior Ads

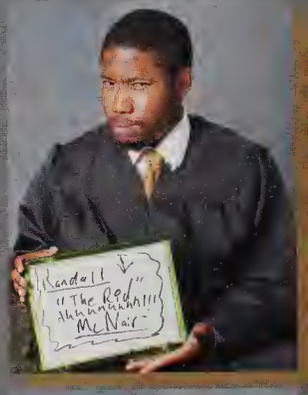


Senior Superlatives

Senior Class Council




Jason Rodriguez
"I Breathe Success"
"Mr. Editor" 2011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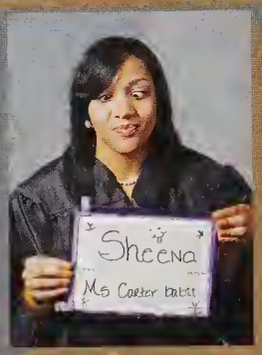
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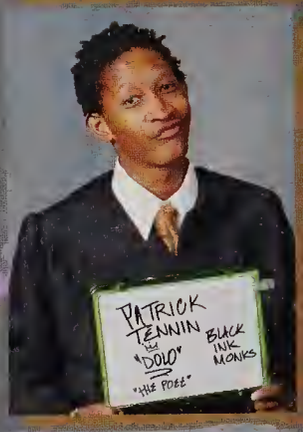
Ms Carter Babit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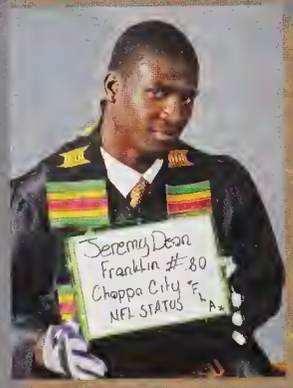
"DOLO"
BLACK INK MONKS
"THE POSE"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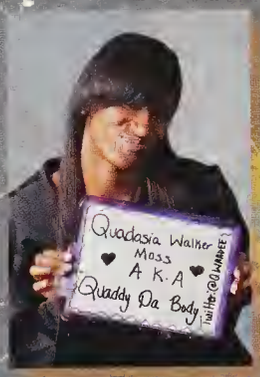
Quadasia Walker
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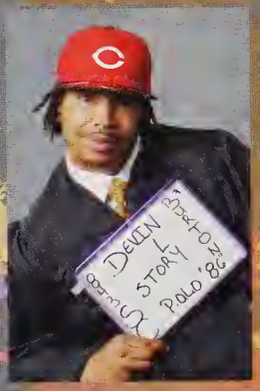
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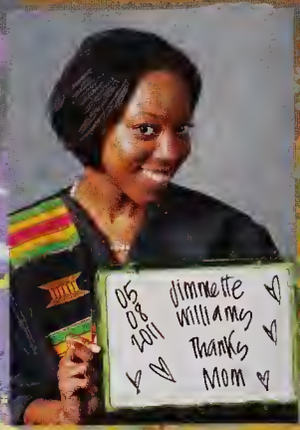
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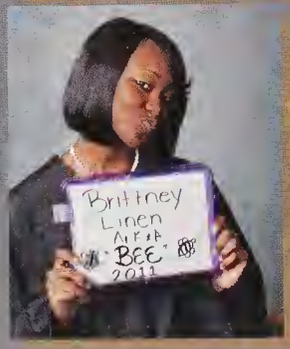
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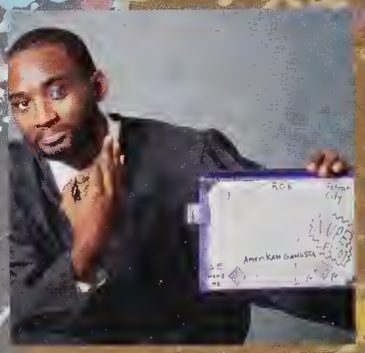

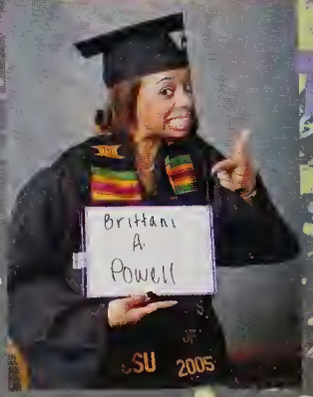
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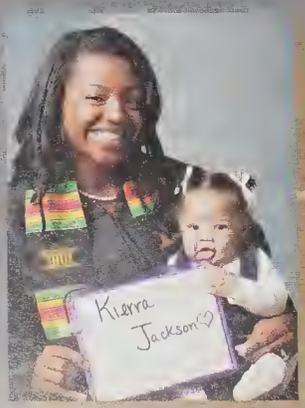
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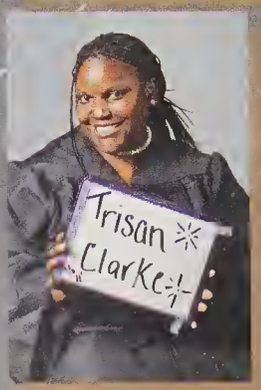
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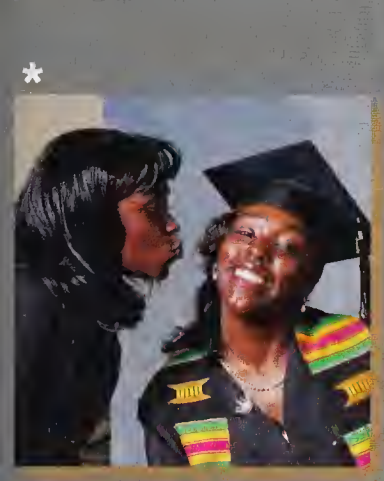
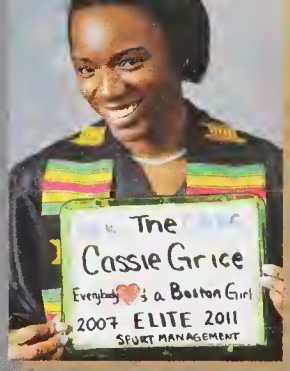
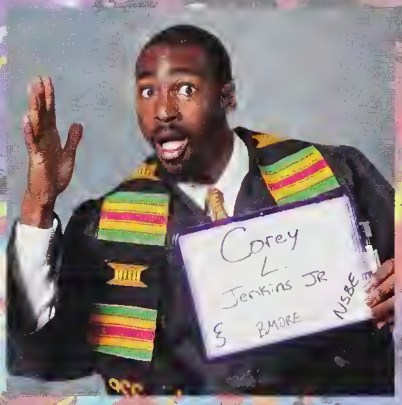
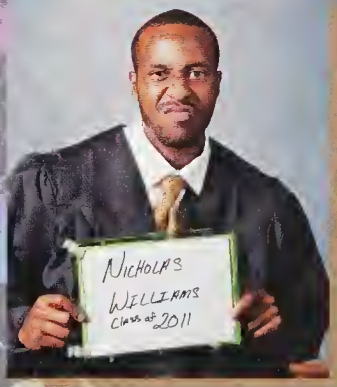
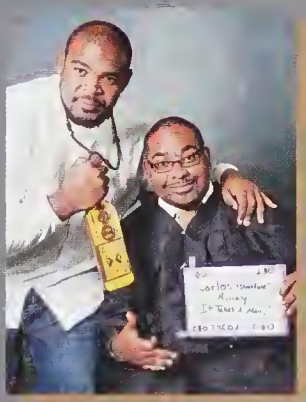








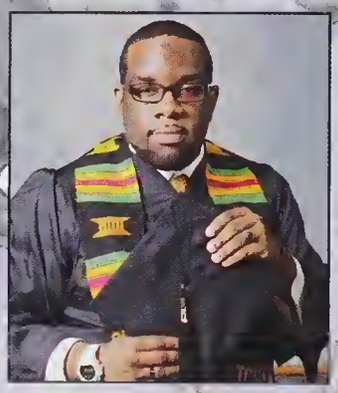


Agne, Marietou

Hometown: Washington, DC
Major: Psychology
Minor: French
Quote/Saying: "Stand for something or fall for anything"
Aspiration/Goals: To become a successful African-American woman in today's judgmental society.

Alexander, Holisha

Hometown: Canton, OH
Major: Political Science
Quote/Saying: "Limitations live only in our minds. But if we use our imaginations, our possibilities become limitless."
Aspiration/Goals: I want to become a successful business owner business and a politician.



Anderson, David

Hometown: Mount Vernon, New York
Major: Social Work
Quote/ Saying: "Most successful men have not achieved their distinction by having some new talent or opportunity presented to them. They have developed the opportunity that was at hand."
Aspiration/ Goals:
After Smith I plan, to move back to New York City and attend Hunter College to obtain my Masters in Social Work (MSW). Only God knows where my path to success will lead me.

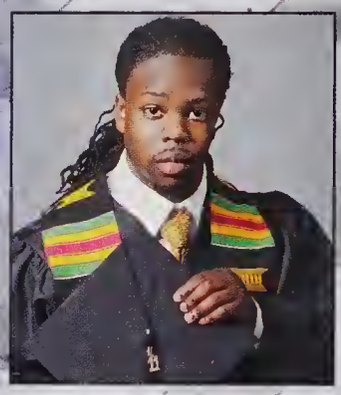
Bakheit,, Nawal

Hometown: Alameda, CA
Major: Political Science
Quote/Saying: "By accident of fortune a (wo)man may rule the world for a time, but by virtue of love (s)he may rule the world forever"-Lao Tzu
Aspirations/Goals: It is my aspiration to bring positive and influential change to the world, and to help as many people as humanely possible.

Ball, Zoulieka

Hometown: Huger, S.C
Major: Criminology
Quote/Saying: "Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and lean not on your own understanding. In all your ways acknowledge Him and He shall direct your paths." –Proverbs 3:5, 6
Aspiration/Goals: I would like to become a probation and parole officer. I would like to own my childeare facility in South Carolina that would be opened 24 hours.

Alarahshun, Nada



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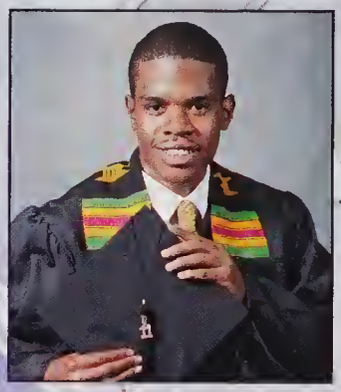


Austin, Michael

Hometown: Washington, D.C
Major: Information Systems Engineering
Quote/ Saying: "When I was a child, I spoke as a child, I understood as a child, I thought as a child: but when I became a man, I put away childish things."
Aspiration/ Goals: To start my own after school program for children that consists of education/sports, and in doing this continuing to promote the importance of attending HBCU's.

Bakheit, Zubida

Hometown: Oakland, CA
Major: Finance/Economics
Quote/Saying: "Control your own, develop your own, love your own" – Dead Prez
Aspirations/Goals: To serve the global public good; MPA/MA, and Doctorate by 2016.

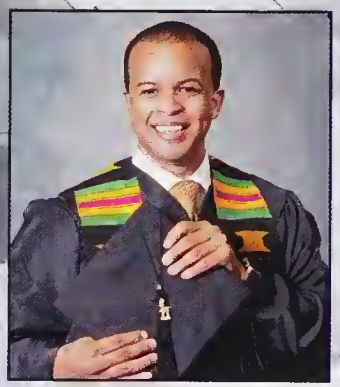
Barnes, Brittanni

Hometown: Wilmington, D.E
Major: Criminology
Quote/ Saying: "Trust in the Lord with al your heart and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways acknowledge him, and he will make your paths straight." -Proverbs 3:5-6, NIV
Aspiration/ Goals: To have a successful career in the criminal justice field primarily with the Department o Homeland Security. Upon Retirement be and advocate for abused children

Barnes, Donisha

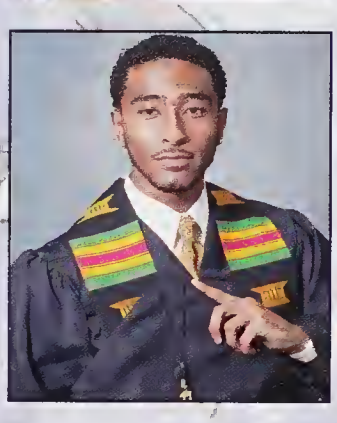
Beamer, Carleton

Hometown: Galax, V.A
Major: Economics
Quote/Saying: "Where purpose is unknown, defeat is inevitable" –Sun Tsu
Aspiration/Goals: Progress to senior management in the financial services industry; be an advocate of youth education/leadership development; promote the good news of Jesus Christ



Berry, Darius

Hometown: Alexandria, V.A
Major: Sports Management
Quote/Saying: "Never Settle for less, or that is what you will get out of life the less of it" " I have been in it to win it" -Bleezy
Aspiration/Goals: To become a prosperous Sport agent And or also become a middle school gym teacher and also coach either basketball or soccer.



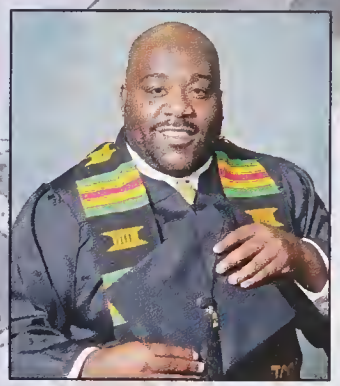
Bishop, Dorishia

Bluefort, Layla

Hometown: Columbia, SC
Major: Social Work
Quote/ Saying: "When you do the common things in life in an uncommon way, you will command the attention of the world." -George Washington Carver
Aspiration/ Goals: I plan to pursue my MSW at USC in Columbia, SC immediately following graduation. Eventually, I would like to complete my LCSW hours and eventually my Doctorate in Social Work. I aspire to change many of the policies that affect single mothers and create programs that will help girls who are dealing with the pain of being raised without a father.

Barr, Derrick

Hometown: Rockington, N.C
Major: Interdisciplinary Studies
Quote/ Saying: "Always remember family first"
Aspiration/ Goals: Start my on business in the Health Care field.



Bell, Santucee

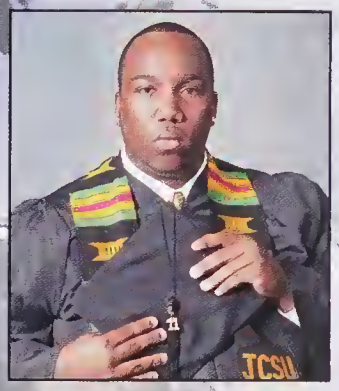
Hometown: North Carolina
Major: Business
Quote/ Saying: "Look what God has done for me! He can do the same for you."
Aspiration/ Goals: Entrepreneurship

Betrand, Elliott

Hometown: Brooklyn, N.Y
Major: Mathematics
Minor: Philosphy
Quote/ Saying: "Everyday is a new day, every conversation a new connection, every moment a precious memory, Never forget from whence you came because those which brought you through WILL FORGET YOU"
Aspiration/ Goals: Mathematics is my passion, building Connections is my life. Honorable Achievement in everything that I encounter is my fundamental purpose.

Blanden, Mikale

Hometown: Durham, N.C
Major: Criminology
Quote/Saying: "Men are made stronger on realization that the helping hand they need is at the end of their own arm." -Sidney J. Phillips
Aspiration/Goals: Become D.E.A Agent.



Bolds, Donisha

Bouey, Ebony

Hometown: Jamaica, N.Y
Major: Criminology

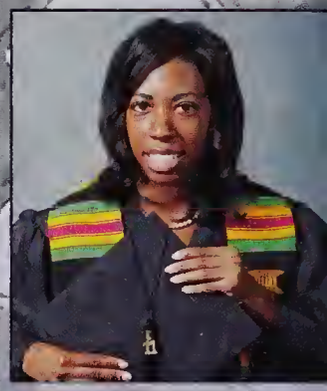
Bowman, Shimeca

Hometown: Naples, FL
Major: Mathematics
Minor: Biology
Quote/Saying: "The key to happiness is forgiveness"
Aspiration/Goals: To get my Ph.D and to work in NASA

Brandon, Rhetlaw

Brannum, Nykaa

Hometown: Capitol Heights, MD
Major: Communication Arts
Quote/Saying: "I'm selfish, impatient and a little insecure. I make mistakes, am out of control and at times hard to handle. But if you can't handle me at my worst, you don't deserve me at my best."
Aspiration/Goals: I want to start my own business, travel, and freelance photography.



Breaux, Tyra

Brewer, Kelvin

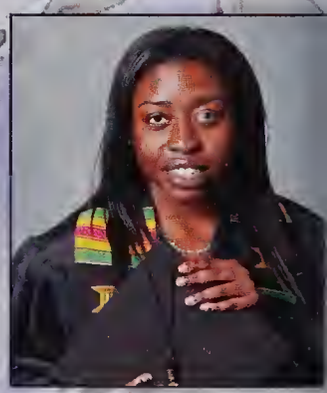
Hometown: Chicago, IL / Columbia, TN
Major: Computer Science Information Systems
Quote/Saying: "Me: Don't Change because of others, change because you want to."
"Father: Be the Head not the Tail"
Aspiration/Goals: To Travel and to live life.

Brooks, Kenyanti

Hometown: Alexandria, V.A
Major: History
Quote/Saying: "God is Love and Love is God."
Aspiration/Goals: To teach in inner-city schools.

Brown, Brittany

Hometown: Greenville, N.C
Major: Political Science
Minor: Pre Law
Quote/ Saying: "Greatness is not measured by what a man or woman accomplishes, but by the opposition he or she has overcome to reach his goals."--Dorothy Height
Aspiration/ Goals: To practice Law.



Brown, Shalmar

Hometown: Charleston, S.C
Major: Communication Arts
Quote/ Saying: " One day your life will flash before your eyes. Make sure its worth watching"
Aspiration/ Goals: My aspirations are to be a broadcast news reporter.

Bryant, Dallas

Bullock, Brittany

Byars, Antwaun

Cadet, Perpetue

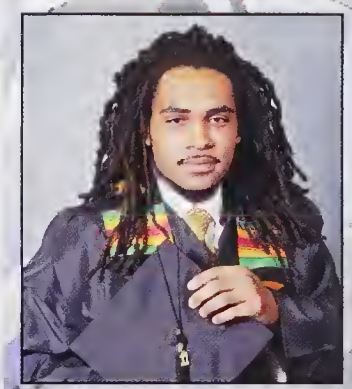
Hometown: Willingboro, N.J
Major: Information Systems Engineering
Quote/ Saying: "Never do anything that you can't live with."
Aspiration/Goals: After receiving my masters' degree in Computer Engineering I plan to work in Research and Development.

Carethers, Brittany

Hometown: Washington, DC
Major: Communication Arts/ PR
Quote/Saying: "You can do whatever you put your mind to"
Aspirations/Goals: I aspire to be a successful Fashion public relations specialist.

Carter, Calvin

Hometown: Chester, SC
Major: Criminology
Quote/ Saying: "Life is a banquet and I want a seat at the table. Let the adventure begin. Wherever God sends me I will follow."
Aspiration/ Goals: I want to attain success in my chosen field. I want to be one of God's instruments in helping others.



Carter, Corey

Carter, Sheena

Caver, Shalisa

Hometown: Queens, N.Y
Major: Business Administration
Concentration: Marketing
Quote/Saying: "Life isn't about waiting for the storm to pass... It's about learning to DANCE in the rain."
Aspiration/Goals: Live comfortably. Travel the world. Take the world by storm.

Chase, Gernae

Hometown: Suitland, MD
Major: Communication Arts (Radio and Television)
Quote/Saying: "You can't have a testimony without a test ...with God before me WHO can be against me"
Aspiration/Goals: To become a successful Radio/Television personality for a syndicated show. In addition, to have my own cosmetic line.

Chiles, Tiffani

Hometown: Asheville, NC
Major: Social Work
Quote/ Saying: "Struggle builds character"
Aspiration/ Goals: My future endeavors include obtaining my MSW and LCSW and opening my own private practice.

Clarke, Trisan

Hometown: Bronx, NY
Major: Computer Science/ Information System
Quote/Saying: "If you believe in what you are doing, then let nothing hold you in your work. Much of the best work of the world has been done against seeming impossibilities"
-Dale Carnegie
Aspiration/Goals: Graduate undergrad and attend Graduate School majoring Information security then work for the government.

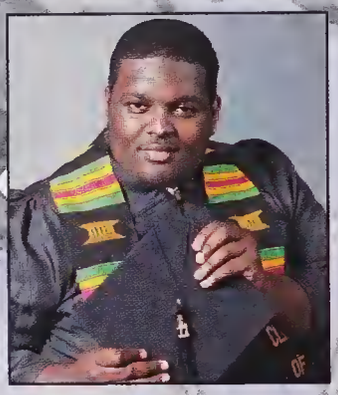
Cogdell, Keisha Marie

Hometown: Ansonia, CT
Major: Interdisciplinary Studies
Minor: Concentrations: Elementary Education/ Psychology
Quote/Saying: "Your overall life is what you make of it"
Aspiration/Goals: My goal is to become a successful and inspiring teacher.

Coleman, Kimberly

Collins, Elisha

Hometown: Denver, CO
Major: Psychology
Quote/Saying: "Nothing in all the world is more dangerous than sincere ignorance any conscientious stupidity"
Aspirations/Goals: To get a PhD and add to the research on African Americans.

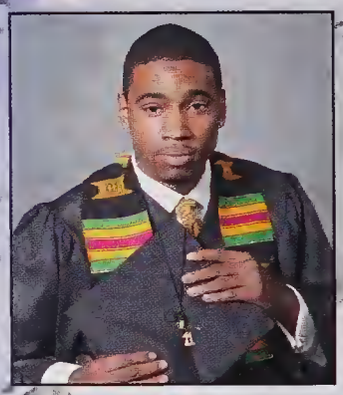


Collins, Thomas

Cooley, LaShawn

Hometown: Denver, Colorado
Major: Psychology
Quote/ Saying: Those who anger you control you!
Aspiration/ Goals: To obtain a Master's Degree in School Counseling and become a high school counselor.

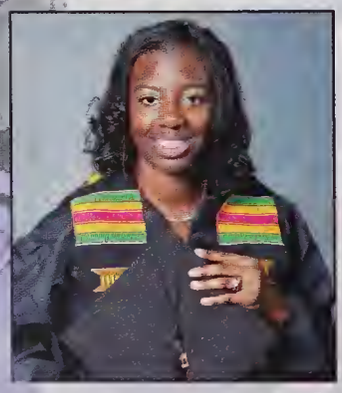
Cooper, Janet



Cotterell, Ryan

Craig-Powell, Sonya R.

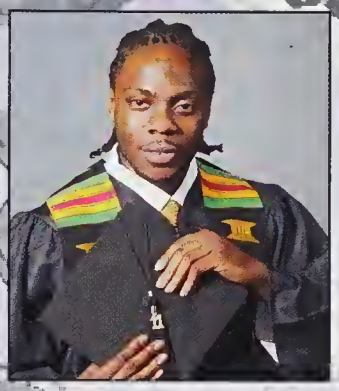
Hometown: Charlotte, N.C
Major: Interdisciplinary Studies
Minor: English and Education
Quote/Saying: "All things are possible"
Aspirations/Goals: To become a professor at a university.



Croom, Sherell

Hometown: Plainfield, N.J
Major: Criminology
Quote/Saying: "I can do all things through Christ whom strengthens me"
Aspirations/Goals: My aspirations are to use my skills learned at JCSU to help my community in which I love.

Curtis, Keon



Danielly, Brittany

Davis, Jasmine

Davis, Monica Shree

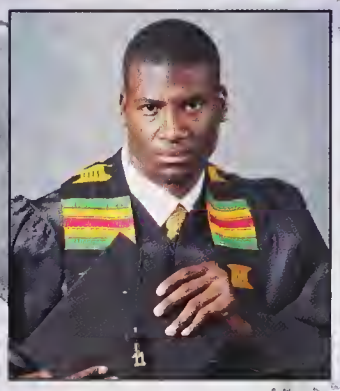
Hometown: Danville, VA
Major: Criminology
Minor: History
Quote/ Saying: "I don't know the key to success, but I do know that the key to failure is trying to please everyone. Be blessed never live life in distress whenever you feel like you are down and under talk to God he always answer your prayers. Just let go and let him have his way with you....!"
Aspiration/ Goals: To someday become a homicide detective....!

Davis, Ulita

Davis-Reid, Joiy

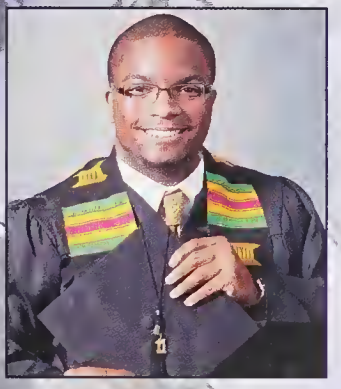
Hometown: PG County, MD
Major: Music Business and Technology
Minor: Political Science
Quote/Saying: "Music washes away from the soul the dust of everyday life." -Berthold Auerbach
Aspiration/Goals: To own my own law firm, travel, and eventually go back home to teach.

Deon, Jeremy



Devone, Terrell

Hometown: Charlotte NC
Major: Computer Science Information Systems
Quote/ Saying: "It Is What It Is"
Aspiration/ Goals: My Goal is to work for The Department of Homeland Security.



Dickerson, Shantel

Diggs, Mylindra

Hometown: Alexandria, VA
Major: Business Management
Quote/Saying: "You only live once so go hard in everything you do no matter what it is."
Aspiration/Goals: My goal is to continue to be blessed.

Dollard, Brittany

Hometown: Lake City, S.C
Major: Biology
Minor: Chemistry
Quote/Saying: I've learned that things change, people change, and it doesn't mean you forget the past or try to cover it up. It simply means that you move on and treasure the memories. Letting go doesn't mean giving up... it means accepting that some things weren't meant to be."
- Lisa Brooks
Aspiration/ Goals: After graduation I plan to attend a graduate school and pursue a doctorial degree in Physical Therapy. I would later like to work with a professional team as the team doctor or physical therapist.

Dummett, Monique

Hometown: Harlem, N.Y
Major: Communication
Quote/ Saying: "Dare To Be Different"
Aspiration/ Goals: To attend fashion and cosmetology school in Cali or persue a career in acting and modeling.

Eaddy, Miranda

Hometown: Windoor, CT
Major: Computer Science/ Information Systems
Quote/ Saying: "Delayed but not denied because I can do all things through Christ who strenthens me"
Aspiration/ Goals: To work as an IT for a major Technology company as UTC.

Edmonds, Antionette

Hometown: Richmond, V.A
Major: Mass Communications Broadcast Journalism
Quote/Saying: "Stay Humble! Humility comes before honor"
Aspiration/Goals: I plan to attend graduate school in the fall and P.R work for a nonprofit organization that is community based.

Edwards, Kayla

Hometown: Woodbridge, VA
Major: Communication Arts
Quote/ Saying: "Anything worth having is worth fighting for."
Aspiration/ Goals: Travel to other countries and ultimately work for Nike as a graphic designer and establish a scholarship.

Elliot, Mauranda

Hometown: Tabor City, N.C
Major: Information Systems Engineering
Aspiration/ Goals: Is to complete and ahieve everything with my all.

Falls, Shatoyia D.

Hometown: Charlotte, NC
Major: Social Work
Quote/ Saying: "I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me" - Philippians 4:13
Aspiration/ Goals: Continue education receiving an accredit MSW; establish a non-profit organization to enhance the well being of the community targeting youth and single parent homes.

Fields, Regina L.

Hometown: Naperville, IL
Major: Criminology
Quote/ Saying: "Only you have the power to choose what you are and who you are, don't let anybody choose for you, or try to change who you are and what you want out of life"
Aspiration/ Goals: I would like to have my business up and running. It's a non-profit for Adolescents, it focuses on two things. The first is to help adolescents who are starting to get into trouble and causing problems. The second is to help those adolescents/ young adults who have misdemeanors or felonies; help them get rehabilitated into public society. This whole non-profit focuses on the roots of adolescents, dealing with counseling: individual, group, and family. There is also pet therapy. The last part of it is I teach or the people I feel suited teach adolescents life lessons.

Flegler, Nikea

Hometown: Capitol Heights, MD
Major: Communication
Quote/ Saying: "The doors we open and close each day decide the lives we live."
Aspiration/ Goals: My goals are to go to graduate school to study Art Education.

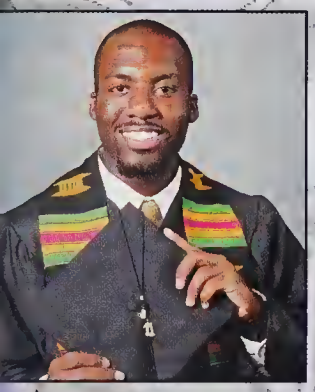
Ford, Alexis

Hometown: Los Angeles, CA
Major: Communications
Quote/Saying: "Your talent is God's gift to you. What you do with it is your gift back to God."
Aspiration/Goals: My goal in life is to be successful, loved and happy, that's all!

Foreman, Sean

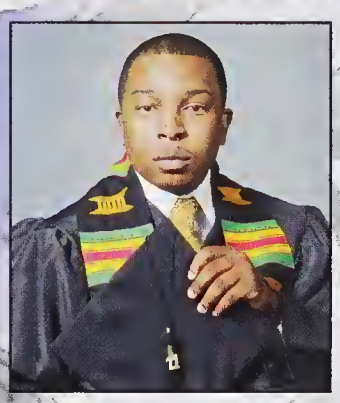
Hometown: Brooklyn, N.Y
Major: Business Management
Minor: Music Business & Technology
Quote/ Saying: "All things in life are possible through Christ, who strengthens me. "
Aspiration/ Goals: To change the world.

Franklin, Miesha



Freeman, Corey

Hometown: Norfolk, VA
Major: Business Administration Concentration in Marketing
Quote/ Saying: The lord is my light and my salvation for whom shell I fear. The lord is the strength of my life for whom shell I be afraid"- Psalms 27:1
Aspiration/ Goals: To Live Life with no Regrets.



Gaines, Ronald

Gales, Darnika

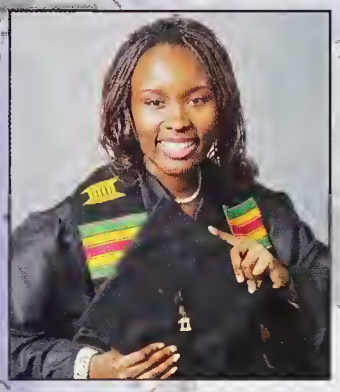
Hometown: Richmond, V.A
Major: Interdisciplinary Studies
Minor: Social Work in Psychology
Quote/Saying: "The difference between school and life? In school, you're taught a lesson and then given a test. In life, you're given a test that teaches you a lesson."
Aspiration/Goals: To attend graduate school, become a clinical Social Worker and have my own private practice.

Gay, Shardae

Hometown: Washington, D.C
Major: Criminology
Quote/Saying: " The best and most beautiful things in the world cannot be seen or even touched. They must be felt within the heart"
Aspiration/Goals: My aspirations & goals are to help troubled teens while their young by becoming a Juvenile Court Counselor

Gerald, Kiviette

Hometown: District Heights, MD
Major: Criminilogy
Minor: Math
Quote/Saying: "Life is what you make it"
Aspiration/Goals: To make a difference in someones life.

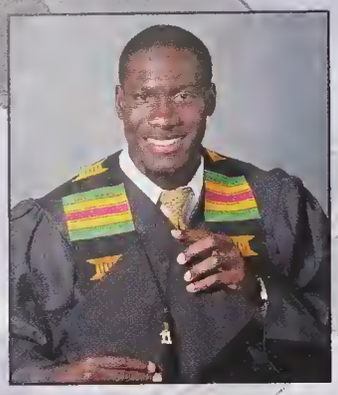


Gilliard, Cherrelle

Hometown: Charleston, S.C
Major: Criminology
Quote/Saying: "Everything happens for a reason sometimes things fall apart just so other things can fall together, but in the end what's meant to be will be" -Unknown
Aspiration/Goals: Upon graduation my plan is to attend North Carolina Central School of Law, become a Defensive Attorney and ultimately become a Superior Court Judge.

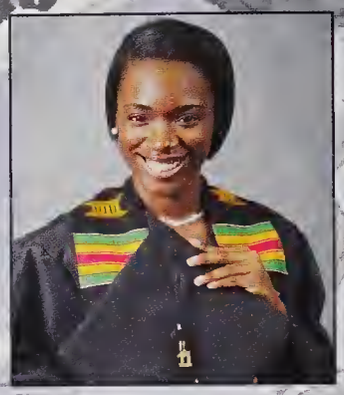
Goodman, Shanice

Gray, Gabrielle

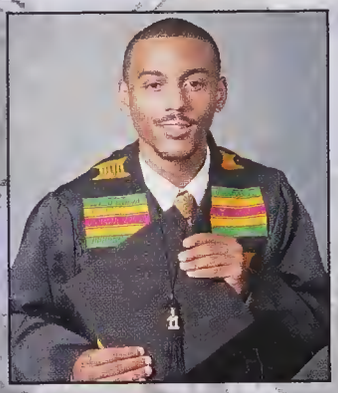


Green, Leford

Hometown: St. Catherine, Jamaica
Major: Information System Engineering
Quote/Saying: Anyone who has never made a mistake has never tried anything new.
Aspiration/Goals: My aim after undergrad is to continue to build on my success from undergrad which includes going grad school to get my masters and athletically go to the world championships and Olympics in 2012



Grice, Cassie



Grier, Brandon

Grimsley, Camille

Hometown: East Orange, N.J
Major: Biology
Quote/ Saying: "The future belongs to those who believe in the beauty of their dreams"
Aspiration/Goals:To help others via medicine or non-profit work in the field of health care.

Hackett, Sheree

Harkness, Richard

Harris, Cryshawna

Hometown: Winston-Salem, N.C
Major:General Science with A concentration in Biology
Quote/ Saying: "I SAY AND DO WHAT I WANT BECAUSE I CAN!"
Aspiration/ Goals: My goals and aspirations are to continue to make my family proud, become a Gynecologist and have my own practice, have four published novels, start my own nonprofit organization and travel the world! =)

Harris, Leticia

Harrison, Brandy

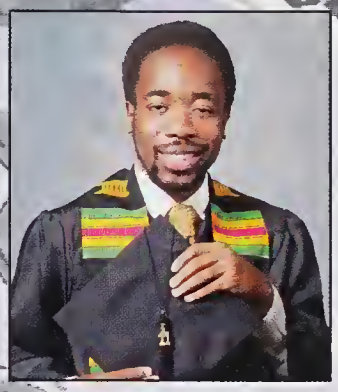
Hometown: Washington, D.C
Major: Business Management
Quote/ Saying: It's not always what you know it sometime who you know
Aspiration/ Goals: To Become a business woman with a Master's Degree in Human Resources.

Hart, Brittne

Hometown: Forestville, MD
Major: Business Managemen
Quote/ Saying: "The man wh views the world at 50 the same a he did at 20 has wasted 30 year of his life."
Aspiration/ Goals: To b successful

Harvey, Calvin

Hometown: Boston, MA
Major: Business Management
Quote/ Saying: "Life is what you make it"
Aspiration/Goals:To own my own business, and open the Calvin Harvey Foundation.



Hatcher, Sheria Palatino

Hometown: Flint, MI
Major: Community Health (Health Education)
Aspiration/Goals: My aspiration and goals is to earn my doctorate of physical therapy and own a physical therapy clinic.

Hicks, Maya

Hightower, Natalia

Hill, Jasamine

Hometown: Greenville, S.C
Major: Sport Management
Quote/Saying: "What you leave behind is not what is engraved in stone monuments, but what is woven into the lives of others"- Perciles
Aspiration/ Goals: To be the best, and help others to achieve the same

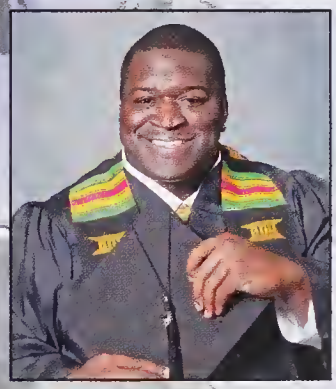
Hill, Victoria

Hilton, Erica

Hometown: Fayetteville, N.C
Major: Communication Arts
Quote/Saying: "Hope is a risk that must be run." –Unknown
Aspiration/Goals: I'm going to earn my Masters' degree and Ph. D in Public Relations and Communications. Work in a communications firm or department, and eventually teach a Public Relations course at an HBCU. I also plan to own my a nonprofit to encourage today youth's to realize that despite what their peers expect them to be, they can be who they choose to be.

Holliday, Nelson

Hometown: Brooklyn, N.Y & Waycross, GA
Major: Business Management
Quote/ Saying: "If you can believe, you can achieve"
Aspiration/Goals: Become a successful entrepreneur.

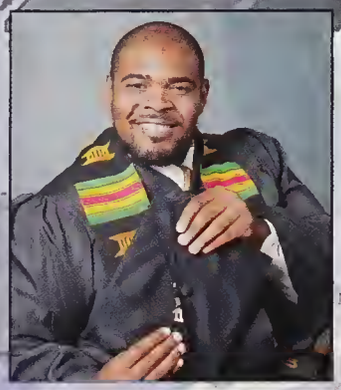


Horn, Shantel

Hometown: Silver Spring, MD
Major: interdisciplinary Studies
Minor: Spanish
Quote/Saying: "A great leader's courage to fulfill her vision comes from passion, not position" -John Maxwell
Aspiration/Goals: Impact the world through teaching! Open a daycare and become a school counselor!

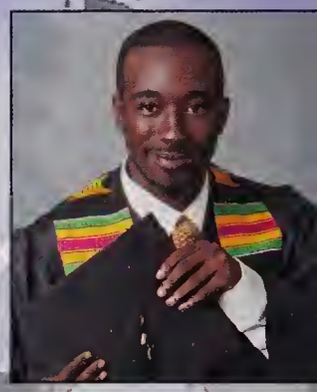
Hudson, Marje'

Hudson-Bonner, Josh



Hunter, Anthony

Hometown: Sacramento, CA
Major: Business Management
Quote/ Saying: "Young Black and educated can't tell me nothin"
Aspiration/ Goals: To open my own business



Hyppolite, Christina

Hometown: Boston, MA
Major: Business Management
Quote/ Saying: "In matters of style swim with the current. In matters of principles, stand like a rock!" -Thomas Jefferson
Aspiration/ Goals: After graduation I plan on obtaininne 500 company in China. my MBA in international Marketing, in hopes to work for a Fortue

Jackson, Jonathan E.

Hometown: Cheltenham, PA
Major: Information Systems & Engineering
Quote/ Saying: "A leader is one who knows the way, goes the way, and shows the way."
Aspiration/Goals: To Succeed In Life!!!

Jackson, Kaylah

Jackson, Kierra

Hometown: Los Angeles, C.A
Major: Biology
Minor: Chemistry
Quote/ Saying: "Courage doesn't always roar. Sometimes courage is the quiet voice at the end of the day saying, 'I will try again tomorrow.'"-Mary Anne Radmacher
Aspiration/ Goals: To attend Dental School and own my own practice, to live life to the fullest with no regrets, and to become the person God has created me to be.

Jackson, Michelle

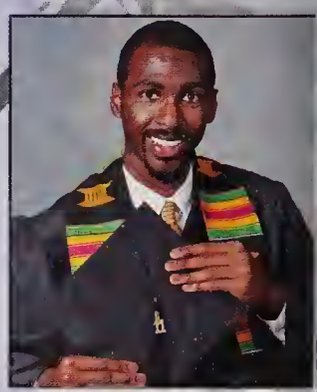
James, Brittany

Hometown: Raleigh, N.C
Major: Business Administration/Marketing
Quote/Saying: "I hope your dreams take you... to the corners of your smiles, to the highest of your hopes, to the windows of your opportunities, and to the most special places your heart has ever known." -Anonymous
Aspiration/Goals: Work in the Fashion Industry and have my own clothing line "BCJ" before the age of 30

James, D'Jaris

Jenkins, Jr., Corey

Hometown: Baltimore, MD
Major: Computer Information Systems
Quote/ Saying: "Staying focused is the goal. Not letting anything get in your way is the plan."
Aspiration/ Goals: Become a software engineer for a major company and make a difference in the world.



Jenkins, Nicole

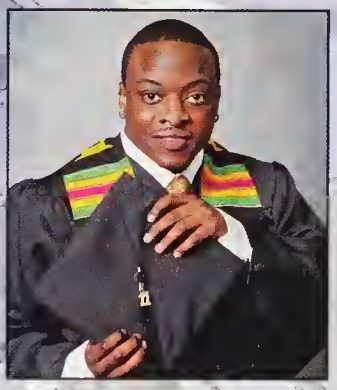
Hometown: Oakland, CA
Major: Business Administration-Marketing
Quote/ Saying: "With God, ALL things are possible!!"
Aspiration/Goals: To work for a Fortune 500 Company, to become a successful, respected business woman and to give back to my community!

Jenkins, Sparkle

Hometown: Chicago, IL
Major: Criminology
Minor: History
Quote/Saying: "You've got to follow your passion. You've got to figure out what it is you love--- Who you really are. And have the courage to do that. I believe that the only courage anybody ever need is the courage to follow your own dream" - Oprah Winfrey
Aspiration/Goals: It is my dream to become a criminal defense attorney. I, one day, would like to own my own law firm. My family is my biggest inspiration.

Jennings, Ashley

Hometown: Hampton, VA
Major: Social Work
Quote/Saying: "Life Can Be Beautiful"



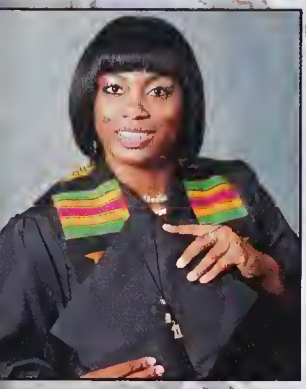
Johnson, Christian

Johnson, Frasier

Hometown: Washington, D.C
Major: Sports Management
Minor: Philosophy
Quote/Saying: "The more you sweat in practice the less you bleed in battle"
Aspiration/Goal: The first woman to coach an NBA Team.

Jones, Jamil

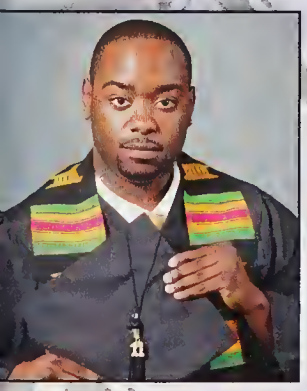
Hometown: Atlanta, G.A
Major: History
Quote/Saying: Live everyday like it's your last
Aspiration/Goals: To be successful



Jones, Jessica

Jones, Niketa

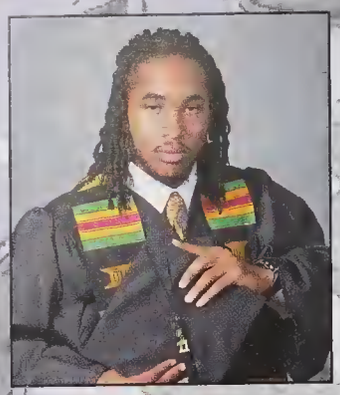
Hometown: Washington, DC
Major: Mathematics
Minor: Computer Science Information Systems
Aspirations/Goals: To work for NASA as a Civil Engineer.



Joseph, Omari

Kennedy, Courtney

Hometown: Sumter SC
Major: Social Work
Quote/ Saying: "It's not how many people you impact; it's how you impact those people"
Aspiration/ Goals: I want to graduate from graduate school and move to Columbia, S.C to work in the school system.



King, Darrell

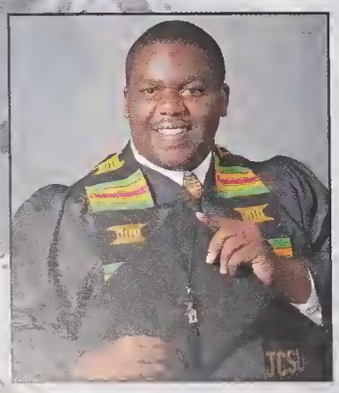
Hometown: Washington D.C
Major: Information Systems Engineering
Quote/Saying: "Losing is a choice in life not an option."
Aspiration/Goals: To always stay true to myself no matter what and to be happy wherever life takes me.

Lashley, Morgan N.

Hometown: Trenton, N.J
Major: General Biology
Quote/Saying: "Live a life of love, just as Christ loved us and gave himself up as a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God." Ephesians 5:2
Aspiration/Goals: Become a Pediatrician and build my own practice.

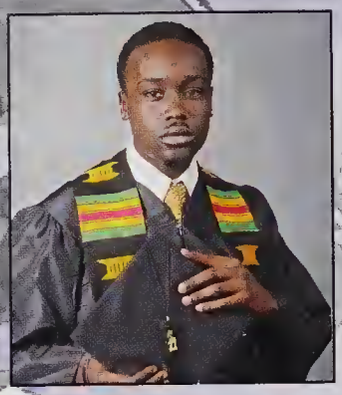
Linen, Brittney

Lowery, Janae



Marshall, Jr., Darril G.

Hometown: Bronx, NY
Major: English
Quote/ Saying: "Quotes do not determine who I am, I determine what a quote is"
Aspiration/ Goals: To become a practicing Entertainment/Intellectual Property attorney and one day run for a US State Senate position. Also, start my own non-profit organization that focus on mentoring and breading inner city males to become leaders in their respective communities.



Kinlaw, Christopher

Ledbetter, Mekiba

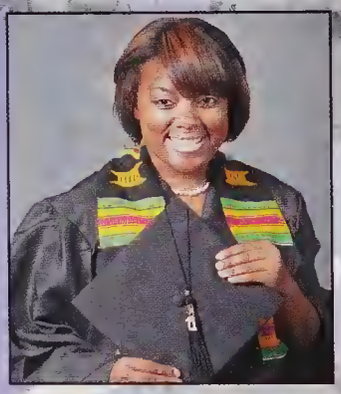
Hometown: Charlotte, North Carolina
Major: Social Work
Quote/Saying: "Life is not measured by the number of breaths we take, but by the moments that take our breath away." - Maya Angelou
Aspiration/Goals: My goals are to obtain my Master's degree in social work and then start a working community for underprivileged children

Logan, Jessica

Hometown: San Diego, C.A
Major: Interdisciplinary Studies
Aspiration/Goals: I want to make a difference in the world and give back to the community

Marshall, Andrea

Hometown: Newburgh, NY
Major: Social Work
Quote/ Saying: "When the world says "Give up," Hope whispers, "Try it one more time."
Aspiration/ Goals: I plan to further my education in Social Work in hopes to receive my Masters in Social Work. With that I would like to work with "at-risk" youth in the school system, to help reduce the drop-out rates of students



Martin, Sapphira

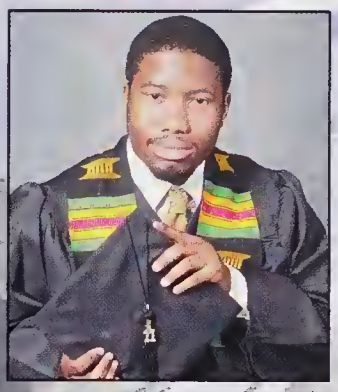
Hometown: Cambria Heights N.Y
Major: Communication Art
Quote/Saying: "I found God in myself and I loved her, I love her fiercely."
Aspiration/ Goals: To maintain faith in God, obtain success, gain wealth and impact lives

Massey, Lauren

Hometown: Sacramento, CA
Major: Psychology
Quote/Saying: "God grant me serenity, courage and wisdom." -Serenity Prayer
Aspiration/Goals: I plan to continue my education on my path to becoming a Child Psychologist. My true dream is to one day open my own shoe boutique. But, overall I aspire to do everything I set my mind to.

McFadden, Kenneth

McNair, Randall



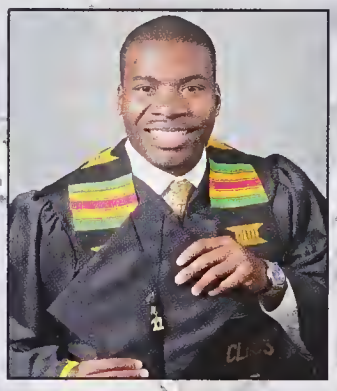
McNeill, Brittany

Hometown: Fayetteville, N.C
Major: Health Education/Community Health
Quote/ Saying: "I Believed.....but God helped me with my Unbelief.....and guess what? 'I Made It'"
Aspiration/ Goals: To be successfully rooted in my career choice as a Health Care Administrator.

McRae, Courtney

Hometown: Capital Heights, MD
Major: Business Management
Quote/Saying: "Something's you just really can't plan for!"
Aspiration/Goals: Graduate from Graduate School with my MBA and become the largest African American woman franchise owner!

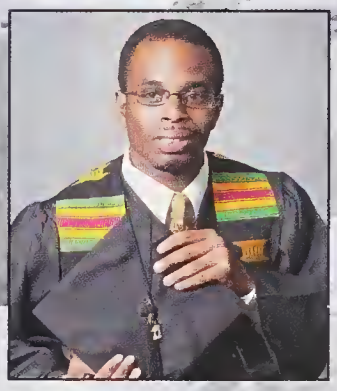
Melvin, Darius



Merritt, Nikki

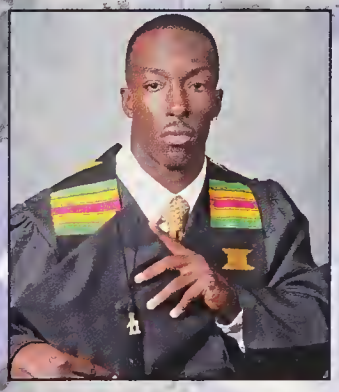
Milden, Andrew

Hometown: Brooklyn, NY
Major: Computer Science Information Systems
Quote/ Saying: "No excuses, just consequences"
Aspiration/ Goals: Maintain Wealth



Montgomery, Lawyer

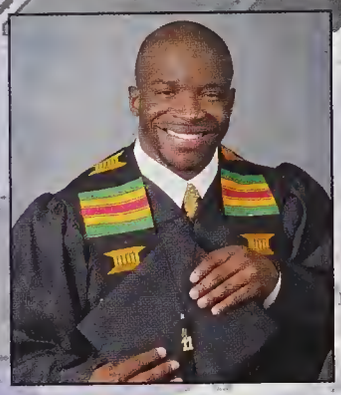
Hometown: Buffalo, N.Y
Major: Accounting
Quote/Saying: "Go hard or go home. If you belive it, you could achieve it"
Aspiration/Goals: To be an Financial Advisor and be a wonderful role model.



Moore, April

Hometown: Buffalo, NY
Major: Business Management
Quote/Saying: "When you want to succeed as bad as you want to breathe, THEN you will be successful." -Eric Thomas
Aspiration/Goals: I aspire to be a successful Entrepreneur, Owner of many Hair Salons, and (Hair) Stylist to the stars.

Moore, DeAndre

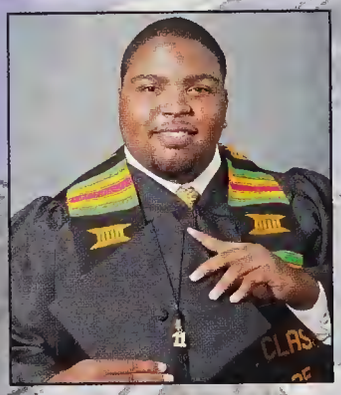


Moore, Elisia

Hometown: Durham, N.C
Major: English
Quote/Saying: "But seek ye first the kingdom of God, and his righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you." -Matthew 6:33
Aspiration/Goals: The Sky is the Limit!

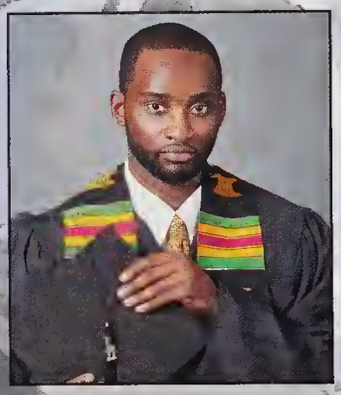
Morris, Emmanuel

Hometown: Atlanta, G.A
Major: Computer Science/Information Systems
Quote/Saying: "The battles that count aren't the ones for gold medals; the struggles within yourself---the invisible, inevitable battles inside all of us ---that's where it's at"-Jesse Owens
Aspiration/Goals: To graduate from Johnson C. Smith University with the knowledge and confidence, knowing that I can compete with others in the world.



Mozee, Quintin

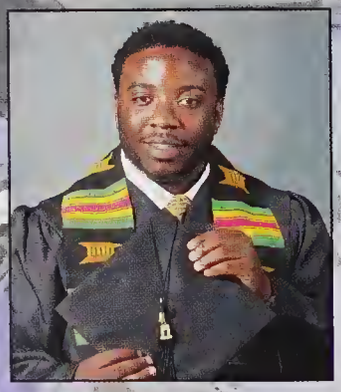
Murphy, Raphael



Murray, Carlos

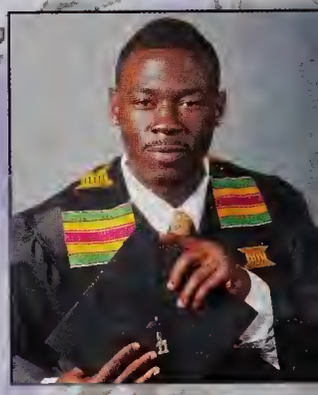
Smith-Murrell, Yamani

Hometown: Sacramento, CA
Major: Communcation Arts (Public Relations)
Quote/ Saying: "Life is constantly filled with obstacles that sometimes seem too great to overcome. However, God is greater than them all and will turn those very same obstacles holding you back into stepping stones toward your success. Keep pressing, keep praying, and when all else fails let go and let God."
Aspiration/ Goals: To be the greatest success story Johnson C. Smith has ever had so that I can help others reach their goals in life as well.

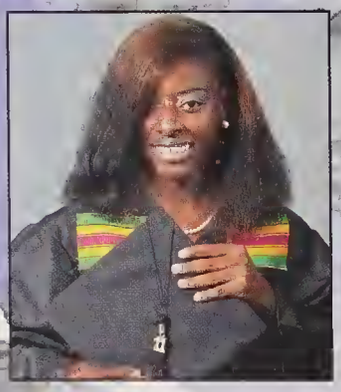


Najem, Bilal Mohammed

Hometown: East Oakland, CA
Major: Communication Arts
Quote/Saying: "If your horse falls ill during your journey don't look at it as a setback instead see it as a new hair piece for the woman, an unexpected dinner, and a one of a kind winter coat"
-Bilal Oak Mohammed
Aspiration/Goals: My goal is to grow my company, "Authentic Effect Productions," into a Multi-Million dollar franchise by the time I reach the age of 27.

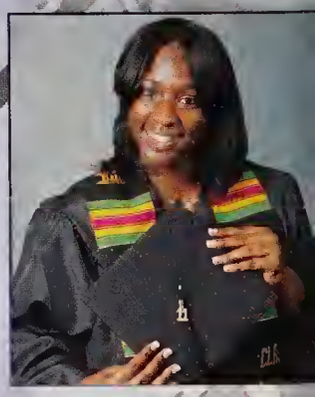


Owens, Lindse'



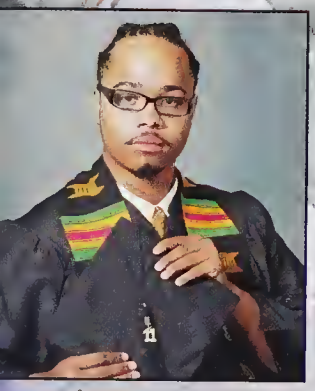
Palazzo, Jon-Alicia

Hometown: Queens, New York
Major: Business Administration-Accounting
Quote/ Saying: Happy moments, PRAISE GOD. Difficult moments, SEEK GOD. Quiet moments, WORSHIP GOD. Painful moments, TRUST GOD.
Aspiration/ Goals: I aspire to become a Certified Public Accountant, practicing Forensic accounting with hopes of owning my own accounting firm.

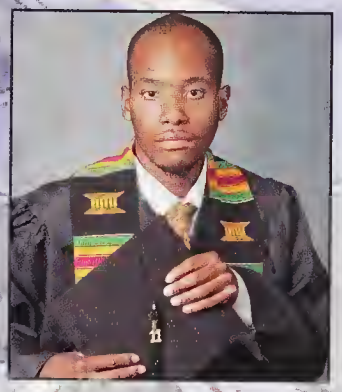


Pearson, Rasheda

Penn, Jami



Peterson, Thomas



Phillips, Benjamin

Hometown: District Heights, MD
Major: History
Quote/Saying: "Closed Mouths Don't Get Fed"
Aspirations/Goals: To become a Military Historian

Phillips, Shaquana

Pino, Malena

Powell, Brittani

Hometown: Kansas City, MO
Major: English
Quote/Saying: "Life on earth is a test! When you understand this you realize that NOTHING is insignificant in your life"
Aspirations/Goals: Following graduate school, I will have my PhD in Art History professing at an HBCU as well as following my 1in Washington, love as a curator at the Smithsonian Musuems in Washington.

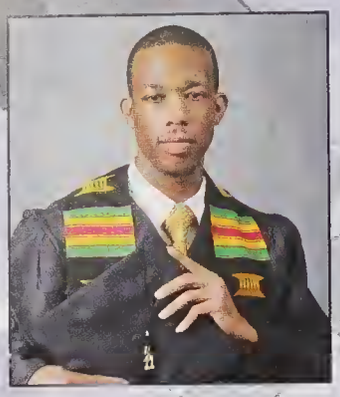
Randolph,Shakirah

Hometown: Chester, PA
Major: Communication Arts/Public Relations
Quote/ Saying: "Physical beauty without good personality is nothing/Instead of being positive or negative, right or wrong; I strive to simply be AUTHENTIC"
Aspiration/ Goals: To obtain a master's degree in a designated field that will enable me to impact the nation's youth by way of education, self-esteem, and talent; to be an entertainment publicist; renowned motivational speaker; author; entrepreneur and to also earn a doctorate degree.

Reese, LaShanda

Reid, Carlette

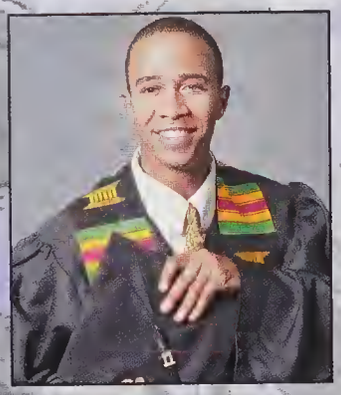
Hometown: Charlotte, N.C.
Major: History
Quote/ Saying: "Do it trembling if you must, but do it!"
Aspiration/ Goals: To obtain a job that will allow me to demonstrate my strong work ethic and communication abilities while gaining relevant experience.



Rosemond, John

Hometown: Hartford, CT
Major: Criminology
Quote/ Saying: "Success is to be measured not so much by the position that one has reached in life as by the obstacles which he has overcome." -Booker T. Washington
Aspiration/ Goals: All ready living it!!!

Robinson, Kiara



Rodriquez, Jason

Rogers, Latina

Hometown: Landover Hills, M.D
Major: Social Work
Quote/Saying: "Anything worth having requires hard work; work hard to show yourself approved."
Aspiration/Goals: To attend graduate school to obtain a Master's Degree in Social Work, and later contract into the navy working with veterans

Rose, Krizia

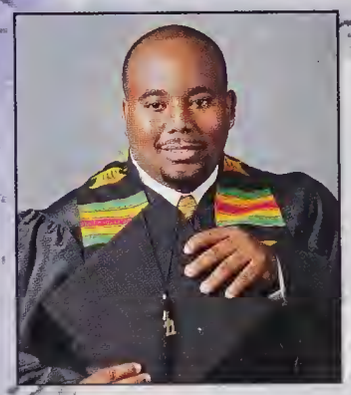
Hometown: Long Island, NY
Major: Political Science
Minor: History
Quote/ Saying: "I believe life is to be lived, not worked, enjoyed, not agonized, loved, not hated"-Leland Bartlett
Aspiration/ Goals: I want to eventually become an entertainment lawyer and open a youth center for kids who live in poorer communities. I want them to have a place to play and learn things that would not be taught in school.

Ryan, Jillian

Hometown: Brooklyn New York
Major: English
Quote/ Saying: "God gave us two ends. One to sit on and one to think with; Success depends on which one you use; heads you win -- tails, you lose."
Aspiration/Goals: To be happy, successful and ready for all the breathtaking things God has in store for me.

Saxon, Daniel

Hometown: Washington, D.C
Major: Chemistry
Quote/Saying: "There's hell in hello and there good in goodbye. That's why you shouldn't be afraid of goodbye but careful with the hello."
Aspiration/Goals: The expert in the field in the field or forensics and ballistics, also to open doors for more African Americans in the field of science and computers.



Scott, Maurice

Hometown: Richmond, VA
Major: Mathematics
Quote/ Saying: "I don't know the key to success, but the key to failure is trying to please everybody." -Bill Cosby
Aspiration/ Goals: With regards to my future, I am interested in a career in mathematical research then I will like to get my doetorate in Mathematics, to become a professor. My ultimate goal is to open my own Charter high school for low-income students interested in math and science.

Shanai, Carletta

Shaw, CiQuinta

Hometown: Laurens, S.C
Major: Communication Arts
Quote/Saying: "If you want to make God laugh, tell him your plans"
Aspiration/Goals: I aspire to be an effective Public Relations Practitioner and a communications professor at JCSU in twenty years.

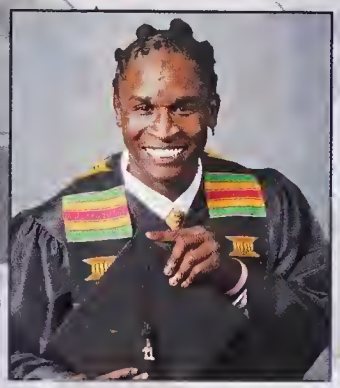
Short, Cynthia

Hometown: Arlington, V.A
Major: Communication Arts
Quote/ Saying: "Our life's a stage, a comedy: either learn to play and take it lightly, or bear its troubles patiently."
Aspiration/Goals: To travel the world.

Silver, Verneisha

Hometown: Rocky Mount, NC
Major: Business Administration and Economics concentration in Accounting
Quote/ Saying: "What don't kill you will only make you stronger!"
Aspiration/ Goals: Go to graduate school at UNC-Charlotte to continue my education while working at Bank of America in the finance department and studying for CPA exam

Simmons, Anthony

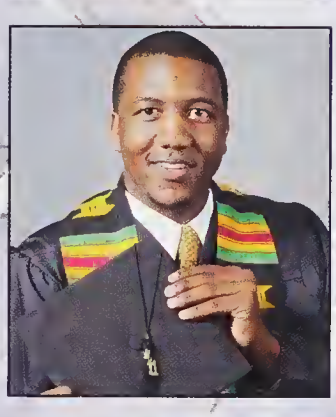


Simmons, Davika

Hometown: Charleston, S.C
Major: Criminology
Quote/ Saying: "I'm selfish, impatient and a little insecure. I make mistakes, I am out of control and at times hard to handle. But if you can't handle me at my worst, then you sure as hell don't deserve me at my best."-Marilyn Monroe
Aspiration/ Goals: To become a homicide detective.

Simms III, Ernest

Hometown: Columbia,S.C
Major: Business Administration with concentrations in Banking & Finance and Economics
Quote/Saying: "The main difference between your dreams and your reality is the hard work that it takes to make your dreams come true."
Aspiration/Goals: To be successful in corporate America and allow that to pave the way for success in entrepreneurial ventures all while giving back to my community.



Simpson, Melissa

Hometown: Silver Spring, MD
Major: Communication Arts: Journalism
Quote/ Saying: "Life is like a chess move; you got to make your next move your BEST move."
Aspiration/ Goals: One day I will be the producer of my own television show or who knows 'Karma' might be your next greatest female MC. STAY TUNED!

Sims, Ellecia

Hometown: New Haven, C.T
Major: Elementary Education
Quote/Saying: "The mediocre teacher tells. The good teacher explains. The superior teacher demonstrates. The great teacher inspires."-William Arthur Ward
Aspiration/Goals: My goal is to be a great teacher for my students.

Sloan, Amber

Somers, Samantha

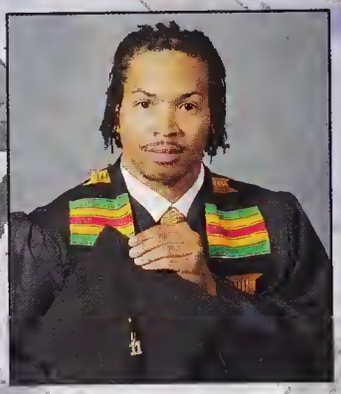
Hometown: Prince Georges County, M.D
Major: History
Quote/ Saying: "Emancipate yourself from inner slavery, none but ourselves can free our mind" -Bob Marley

Springle, Morgan

Steed, Sharee

Stevens, Mikkita

Story, Devin



Stuckey, Jerald

Sturgis, Tyhaera

Hometown: Charlotte, N.C
Major: Communication Arts
Quote/Saying: "I can do ALL things through Christ who strengthens me." -Philippians 4:13
Aspirations/Goals: For the next 5 years of my life, my goal will be to finish graduate school, enter the Corporate Communications career field and plan to extend my family.

Tarrats, Isis

Hometown: Charleston, SC
Major: Elementary Education
Quote/Saying: If I can make an impact for good and for God then my life will not be lived in vain.
Goals/Aspirations: My goals for the future include becoming a passionate and influential educator, author, motivational speaker and entrepreneur.

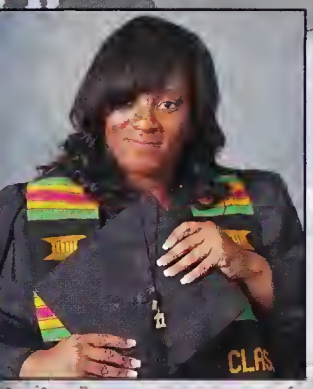
Taylor, Lauura-Ashley

Tennin, Patrick

Hometown: Kaiserslautern, Germany
Major: Communication Arts – Film & Photography
Minor: "Mackin' & Hangin."
Quote/ Saying: "If you wait for someone to tell you the truth, you will never know." – the.Dolo
Aspiration/ Goals: Only to be known for my talents and respected for my character, with anything I do.

Thomas, Lakesia

Thornhill, Sasha



Toler, Sasha

Hometown: Kansas City, MO
Major: Interdisciplinary Studies w/ a concentration in Spanish & Social Work
Minor: Spanish
Quote/ Saying: "You may encounter many defeats, but you must not be defeated. In fact, it may be necessary to encounter the defeats, so you can know who you are, what you can rise from,
how you can still come out of it." -Maya Angelou
Aspiration/ Goals: To be an interpreter for the United Nations; and travel the world with the love of my life.

Turner, Kandice

Hometown: Dixie, GA
Major: Social Work
Quote/ Saying: "The secret to life, simple, its all about the choices you make. So pick and choose wisely"
Aspiration/ Goals: I hope to live a life filled with Joy, Love, and never ending blessings.

Tyler, LaKaevia

Hometown: Miami, FL
Major: Criminology
Quote/Saying: "If it is to be it is up to me"
Aspirations/Goals: Compete professionally for Track and Field.

Walton, Beaonka

White, Raisa

Hometown: Bronx, NY
Major: Finance and Economics
Quote/Saying: "I will continue to strive to meet my potential, for all the skills I possess are God given gifts, but what I do with these skills are my gift to God."
Aspiration/Goals: I plan to one day own several successful businesses and to have a ministry, where young teens are given an opportunity to travel the world and experience other cultures.

Trotman, Camille

Hometown: Baldwin, NY
Major: Elementary Education
Minor: Psychology
Quote/ Saying: "The teacher and the taught together create the teaching"
Aspiration/ Goals: To become the best teacher I can be and inspire each one of my students to achieve success.

Twine, Marcus

Hometown: Tucson, AZ
Major: Sport Management
Quote/ Saying: "Make sure you don't mistake your plan with your dream."
Aspiration/ Goals: Help my mom get her own hair salon within the next 2 years. Retire my dad from his career within the next 3 years.

Walker-Moss, Quadasia

Hometown: Fayetteville, N.C
Major: Mathematics
Quote/ Saying: "You are responsible for your life. You can't keep blaming somebody else for your dysfunction. Life is really about moving on." -Oprah Winfrey
Aspiration/ Goals: My goal in life is to become a High School Math teacher and to also attend graduate school to receive higher learning.

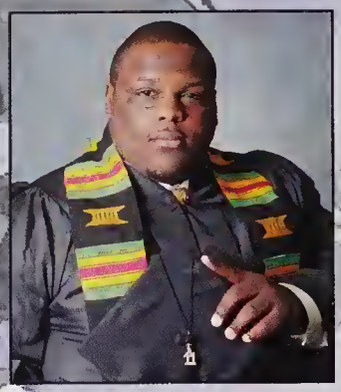
Ware, Traci

Hometown: Harlem, NY
Major: Social Work
Quote/ Saying: The best way to find YOU is to lose yourself in the service of others." -Mahatma Gandhi
Aspiration/ Goals: My goals are to attend graduate school upon completion of my BSW, once I obtained my MSW; I plan to get my LCSW where I will eventually open up my own non-profit agency for Teenage Mothers.

Whitlock, Kittrella Monique

Hometown: Buffalo, NY
Major: Communication Arts
Minor: Sports Broadcasting/PR
Quote/Saying: "It is better to fail in originality, than to succeed in imitation."
Aspiration/Goals: I aspire to become a Sports Broadcasting sideline reporter. I also plan to be involved with the marketing and or public relations for a company or an NFL team.

Williams, Ashley



Williams, Brandon

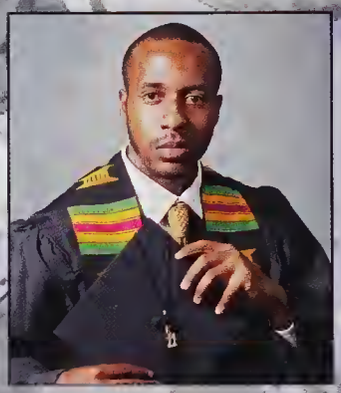
Hometown: Walterboro, S.C
Major: Music Business Technology
Quote/ Saying: "Nothing is a good as it seems, nothin is as bad as it seems but somewhere in between REALITY FALLS!"-Coach McNeil
Aspiration/ Goals: To own my own franchise of recording studios, CEO of a major Record Label.

Williams, Gregory

Hometown: Arlington, VA
Major: Sport Management
Minor: Marketing
Quote/ Saying: "It takes more courage to reveal insecurities than to hide them, more strength to relate to people than to dominate them, more 'manhood' to abide by thought-out principles rather than blind reflex. Toughness is in the soul and spirit, not in muscles and an immature mind."
Aspiration/ Goals: I wish to become a sport agent.

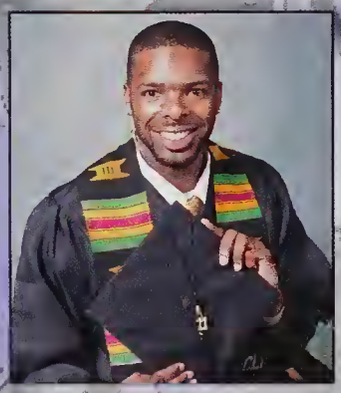
Williams, Jimmette

Williams, Linnea



Williams, Nicholas

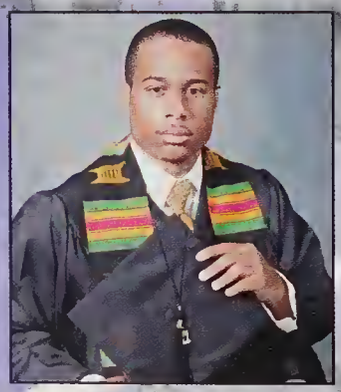
Williams, Shermaine



Williamson, Robin

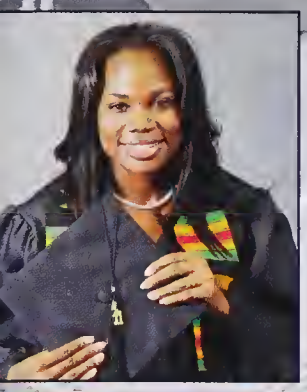
Wilson, Chenea W

Hometown: Charleston, SC
Major: Biology
Minor: Mathematics
Quote/ Saying: "Others can only see your drive, but only you can see your dreams."
Aspiration/ Goals: To help educate kids as a teacher or help my community kids by becoming a pediatrician.



Wright, Aaron

Hometown: Washington, DC
Major: Information Systems Engineering
Quote/Saying: "ALL THINGS ARE POSSIBLE WHEN YOU PUT YOUR FAITH & TRUST IN GOD"
Aspiration/Goals: Become successful in all aspects of life. Live life positively and have a positive effect on others.



Yates, Brittany

Young, Sequoia

Young, Tia

Hometown: Atlanta, G.A
Major: Criminology
Minor: Philosophy
Quote/Saying: Put your future in good hands - your own.
Aspiration/Goals: I just want to be happy and successful in my future.

Zollicoffer, April

Congratulations!!!

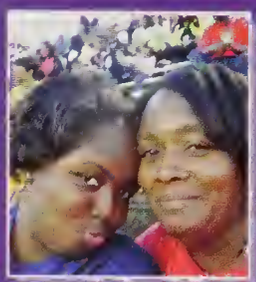
CRYSHAWNA HARRIS

My beautiful Flower

Cryshawna every flower starts from a seed. Every seed comes from a flower that was perversely grown. Flowers are planted, watered, the sun shines on the soil, the roots began to take shape, and then they catch hold to the ground to draw nutrients and water from the soil. A small stem pops out of the ground and begin to grow. There are stems, leaves, and then a small bud appears. This plant goes through, rain, wind, sun, nights and days alone. Even with animals, bugs, and people working against it: but finally it blooms and blooms until it is so gloriously beautiful, then not only does it beautify where it stand, it thrives even after all it has gone through; all the traumas of life. Today you are that flower, and one day you will give off seeds for another beautiful flower to grow. To make the world a most beautiful place.
with much Love,
Granny (Maylib)

Cryshawna,
I have known you since you were knee high to a grasshopper, the first time i saw you i thought you were beautiful and i still feel the same.Being able to watch you grow up has been a blessing to us, so many have gone and God has blest us to be here to witness such a wonderful little girl blossom into a wonderful women, we are very very very proud of what you have accomplished, keep your head forward and God as your co-pilot and you will do awesome things always remember your mom, who instilled the values that you have, she Will always be your strongest supporter and then you have the back up people. you know my saying for you love you lots like tater tots. be blessed not stressed for God will take care of the rest.
Love Aunt Pam & Uncle Nate

Shawna
We love you so much even when you get on our nerves with your big headed self. We couldn't ask for a better big sister. Proud of you!
Love Mook & Ci



Dena'
All through the years there were many tears. We have a stronger bond than most, I am very proud to boast. I love how God has blessed me to have you in my life. You keep reaching for the stars and making all your dreams come true. God will guide you in all you say and do. I love you so much.
Ma (Rach)

Perpetue Cadet

Perpetue Cadet,
You are the light of our life. We are so proud of you. Continue to move forward and succeed in all that you do. God bless you.
Love,
Mom and Dad

Darnika Gales

Congratulations!!

We are all so proud of you...
I say to you, I'm extremely excited at what you are about to accomplish. You are in "The Class of 2011" at JCSU!! The journey you have been on these last four years, has not always been easy, but you should be proud of yourself that you choose to hang in there and not give up. Your determination, desire and will to achieve what you started at JCSU, makes mom very proud. I'm honored to have witnessed you grow from my little baby girl into a fine young lady! Keep family, keep striving, keep God and your future should be full of success!!!

Love you,
Mom

WE LOVE YA
BIG SIS...

Tia & Tori

Darnika Gales

Dear Darnika,
I've watched you grow from a tiny seed into a beautiful flower. I'm truly proud of you and I'm extremely excited that you're graduating from JCSU. The road had been rough at times, but God always smoothed it over. You should be extremely proud of yourself for accomplishing one of life's major goals.

Love,
Tammy Williams
(Godmother)

Sasha Thornhill

Momma's baby
I am so very proud of you!!!

Congratulations Miss Cherrelle Shanice Gilliard

I've seen you grow from a little girl into a beautiful young lady.
Success is awarded to those who dream at endless possibilities.
Through determination and perseverance continue to climb mountains and excel in all your endeavours
With much love & pride
"Madre"

Congrats!

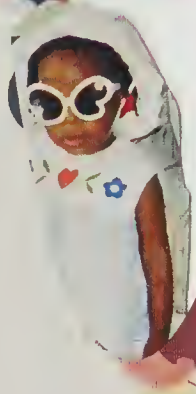
Cherrelle Gilliard

Jimmette Williams

Super Girl;
Always ready to take over in tyle!!
I'm so proud of you!!
I love you with all my heart!!

Your Big Sis,
Tonia

Jimmette Williams



The World belongs to you, Jimmette. Follow your dreams!
- Love, Ma

Carlette Reid

Congratulations!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Class of 2011

My Thanks...

I never thought this day would come. Words cannot express my gratitude for everyones prayers and support. Thanks for helping me making it this far… I love you! I love you! =)

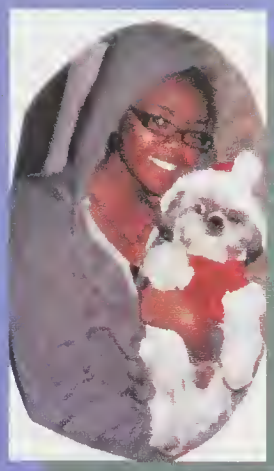
--

Carlette Reid

Congratulations Laura-Ashley Taylor!

From Mom, Dad and your Brother

Forget about the days when it's been cloudy,
but don't forget your hours in the sun.
Forget about the times you've been defeated,
but don't forget the victories you've won.
Forget about mistakes that you can't change now,
but don't forget the lessons that you've learned.
Forget about misfortunes you've encountered,
but don't forget the times your luck has turned.
Forget about the days when you've been lonely,
but don't forget the friendly smiles you've seen.
Forget about plans that didn't seem to work our right,
but don't forget to always have a dream



Laura you have set goals and you will capitalize on your minds power and create greatness.

ABSOLUTELY...

ab·so·lute·ly (b s -l t l , b s -l t l). adv. 1. Definitely and completely; unquestionably.

JAMI

Bubblez

"When it hurts to look back, and you're scared to look ahead, you can look beside you and your best friend will be there" -Unknown

...Inseparable

in·sep·a·ra·ble (n-s p r- -b l, -s p r -). adj. 1. Impossible to separate or part

LAYLA BLUEFORT

Layla Bluefort
As a child, you were very determined, strong-minded and persistent. These qualities, which not always good, surely contributed to your accomplishment. I'm so glad that you're the one to bare the title, "2ND in the Family to Receive a Bachelor's Degree". And, to think of the hardship you had to endure to get here. "Late is better than Never" has prevailed. Grandma Flossie would've been so proud, she's rejoicing, too, from Heaven. Perseverance, another strong suit, will take you to another level. The sky is the limit and we are all rooting for you! GOD LOVES U & SO DO I
From: Your mother, your brother, your nephew "Boogie" & the rest of the family with love

The Rose That Grew from a crack in the concrete

Did you hear about the rose that grew
from a crack in the concrete?
Proving nature's law is wrong it
learned to walk without having feet.
Funny it seems, but by keeping it's dreams,
it learned to breathe fresh air.
Long live the rose that grew from concrete
When no one else ever cared-Tupac

To: Our mom on her graduation
From: your proud daughters

You came, You saw, & You conquered another degree!
We remember all of your late nights finishing papers; "Pizza night" so that you could study; and going to the airport to leave for Egypt and Israel and now you are DONE!
You have raised the bar so high
That we don't any other options but to shoot for the sky!
Words can't express how proud we are to call you our mom!

Love La'Rica, Jamaica, & Makayla!

Camille Aria Trotman

"When the future comes, it comes as the present moment." Eckhart Tolle

We are very happy to share this day, and congratulate you on achieving this academic milestone. Your successful experience at Johnson C. Smith, a prestigious university, will assist you in the challenges and choices you will face, for a lifetime.

Through God's grace, we are very blessed to have you as our daughter. We continue to witness your growth as a beautiful, caring, sensitive and loving person. Camille Alia, you are destined to do great things!

Celebrate this very moment! Take your victory lap!

You bring us joy.
We love you dearly,
Mom and Dad

Camille Trotman

To Camille
You did it !!!!!
Congratulations to
our future teacher.
Love,
Uncle Moe, Aunt
Bitsy, Jared, Crystal,
Jade, and Jaylyn

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Gre
Yea

To a beautiful granddaughter.
Congratulations on your graduation from college!
We love you dearly
Love Grandma and Papa

Camille Alia Trotman

"Don't make money your goal. Instead pursue the things you love doing and do them so well that people can't take their eyes off you. All the other tangible rewards will come as a result."
- Maya Angelou

Your day has arrived, your hard work has paid off. You did it! You are educated your certification is in your degree, it is your ticket to change the world.....You were destined To be a success since you were born, it was willed into your spirit by your Parents and your Ancestors.....and know that those who you can longer see with the naked eye love you deeply and are very proud of you and share in this special day.....They are never really far away..... I am very proud of you and I know you will do great things....enjoy your day you deserve it!!!

Love you very much, Aunt Tracey

2011

When I grow up maybe you will be my Teacher... I hope so..Congratulations
Love Cousin Camryn

Congratulations to my grandniece, Camille

Aunto Leslie Abramson

"There is no need to reach for the stars. They are already within you - just reach deep into yourself" - Anonymous

I remember the first picture i saw of you...snaggle tooth. Now I remember each picture along the way of your success and you have grown into one of the most prettiest, intelligent and fun loving young lady I have known. You make me proud to know you and proud to be called your uncle. (I kept my eye on you for the whole cruise, I had people watching...LOL)
Love, Uncle Kiner!

Camille!!!! I am so proud of you...I wish you the best...I can't believe it...now its my turn to following in your foot steps and graduate from college...if you did it then so can I ....I love you and Congratulations!!!!
Love, Schonje

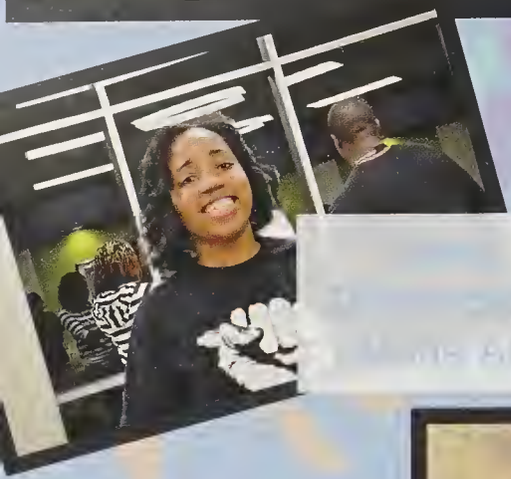
Camille, your on your way to bigger brighter things.
You will make a great teacher and it is just like you to want to give back. I love you and I am proud of you, another positive role model for Camryn...now WE can go party and celebrate together.
Congratulations Much Love
Zakira.....

Most School Spirit & Best All Around
Erica Hilton & Maurice Scott

Most Likely to Get Towed

Maurice Scott

Senior Superlatives



Most Likely to be a Comedian
Quadasia Walker-Moss &Rashaad Lennen

Most Attractive
Erica Hilton

Prettiest Eyes
Elisha Phillips

Best Known for an Excuse
Shardae Gay

Tallest
Jon-Alicia Palazoo & Earl Jackson

Senior Superlatives

Most Intelligent
Perpetue Cadet &
Corey Jenkins

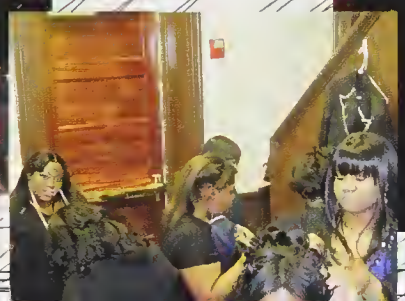
Most Likely to Work at Smith
Gernae Chase (Shortest) &
Darril Marshall

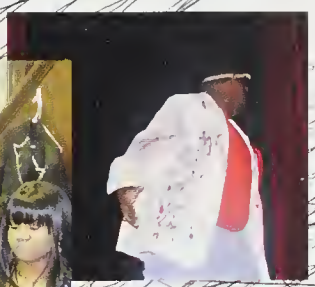
Best Friends
Kimberly Coleman &
Trisan Clarke

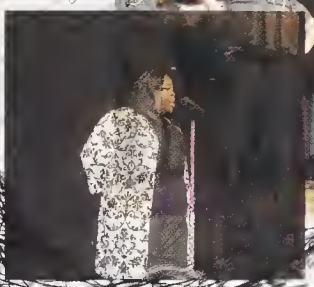
Most Likely to be in the Café
Maurice Scott &
Darril Marshall

MISS SIZE SEXY

Graduationg Senior Monique Dummett is creator and founder of the Miss Size Sexy Pageant. Helping plus size women gain confidence, if not already having some, to show society big is beautiful.







Confessions...

Ashley Williams
I used to have a huge crush on Tremayne Higgins when I was a Sophomore!!! LOL

I confess, Johnson C. Smith University was not my first choice of higher learning. However, I have grown to love my university and I will forever hold high the gold and the blue. I also confess that I fell down the steps of Duke in the rain with a big polka dot umbrella. It hurt so bad but only a few people saw. It was the funniest thing ever!
-Anonymous

Layla Bluefort
I have to confess:
That I started my journey at Johnson C. Smith, January 2009, to become a "First Generation" College graduate and to stay to myself, because I was a non-traditional student. However, I am leaving Johnson C. Smith, May 2011, having found my "Smithite" family! I would not trade this experience for the world!

Confessions...

CiQuinta Shaw
There were many times that I did not complete my homework. Each time I went to class without it, I told my professors that my laptop had a virus, the battery keeps falling out, I can't see the screen, and it's in IT. LOL

Sasha Bari Toler
Out of the entire time I spent at JCSU from Spring 2008-Spring 2011, there is only one thing that I regret. My one and only regret is that I was unable to pledge undergraduate in the sorority of my dreams.

I, Courtney McRae, would love to confess things from the past four years! First, freshman year was the best year of my life because I meet all my lifelong friends. Second, I don't know if I really want to leave JCSU; I have spent the last four years of my life here. It's somewhat my home away from home, my friends have become my family, my professors my parents, and staff/faculty my mentors. Most of all this is where I found who I was and became the successful, driven, goal oriented woman that I am. Furthermore, I secretly fell for Feisty (you know who you are). Awesome person! Also I thought I found my husband in college; what a JOKE that was! LOL! I am the official Beyonce' fan like I have a serious addiction to her! Best Performer Ever! I wish I never met the person I mentioned earlier (the guy I thought I would marry) because I would so marry his best friend! SMH and laughing. Finally, I want to mention my partner in crime for life Camille Trotman! I would not trade her for anything! She thinks I secretly hate her but I really don't! Bye JCSU!

Confessions...

As much as I complain about smith I wouldn't change my school for ANYTHING in this WORLD. Smith has given opportunity and continually made me Laugh, Smile and Dance! Lol I will forever be a DIE HARD SMITHITE. JC-----SU
-Anonymous

It has been four long years at Smith and I have some things to get off my chest! First and foremost I want to say that I love college and I'm sad that this is slowly coming to an end. I remember freshman year like it was yesterday over at the "LSD projects" where gun shots usually were your alarm clock every other morning and night, where the 'unc's' from "Three Way" always were trying to come into our buildings, where we used to stay out all hours of the night becoming 'one with the wind' lol. Man do I miss those days... As crazy as it sounds I miss 'Chicken Wednesdays' already even though it seems as if chicken was on the menu Monday thru Sunday. The freshman these days just don't know how to have fun, I remember the water balloon fights, pillow fights, throwed Fridays and off brand parties at run down restaurants. We never knew it then but those were the days! How about the gym parties? Can't forget about those, we all used to get all the way turn't up and have a good time, at least until the light came on and everybody turned to enemies. I could never forget the fire alarms that would go off at about 3 o'clock in the morning because Ms. Brown caught one of the guys in the building smh. You can't say 'KIC' and the splash boys didn't have Smith on lock at a certain time. We were the life of the party where ever we went. We definitely have memories to last us a lifetime! Too bad I can't share them with you; if you weren't there then you missed it. I was thinking about leaving you all with a juicy confession but I decided I'll keep it to myself.

Sincerely yours,
@100proof_karma

Yamani Murrell
Room 218... For those who know what this means congratulations on being part of the chosen few. For those who think you know, keep thinking. And lastly, for those who have no idea but would like to know I'll tell you this... The #1 rule of the 218 Experience is... what happens in 218 stays in 218... Plus it's a Senior thing hahaha

Class of 2011

Yearbook STAFF

On behalf of the Yearbook Staff, I would like to recognize Cryshawna Harris, Donisha Bolds and Shantel Horn. This was their second year on the staff and every year they wen the extra mile, giving 110%. I wish you endless success in your future endeavors! =)

~India Pitts~

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A Letter to You...

Let me first thank my yearbook staff for putting up with me and my crazy deadlines. You guys contributed to this book more than I did. Please do not let anyone tell you that your hard work was in vain. With your efforts, this yearbook turned out very well. To my veterans, (Donisha Bolds, Cryshawna Harris, La'Chey Horn, Shantel Horn, Dymond Spain and Amber Quattlebaum), we ALL were rookies last year and came in not knowing anything. I think this yearbook shows how each of us has grown and improved. Thank you for hanging in there with me. Secondly, I want to thank my Advisor, Bridgette Johnson; you are my backbone, really. No matter what you have always had my back and I really do appreciate that. You are not just my yearbook advisor but I know I can come to you for anything. Moving on to my GRADUATING SENIORS, I can actually say I will miss the whole class. Some of you have helped me become who I am today. I definitely will miss the veteran SOL's. I wish the whole class of 2011 much success, you guys are truly one of a kind. Last but not least I want to say even though this yearbook is suppose to be a memoir for Seniors, I hope you all are satisfied with the work my staff and I have done. After all, we do this for the students. Thank you again!

ENJOY
India Pitts
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